

# SMUS



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2004-2005



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The year 2004-2005 has unfolded with a very special pace and rhythm: our grads have had excellent success in moving on to their selected universities; our sports teams have won several Island or City Championships; we have welcomed boarders from over 20 different countries into the school. Outstanding dramatic performances of *Africa* in the Middle School, and *Les Miserables* in the Senior School, went recognized as unparalleled student performances. We opened two new buildings – *John and Anne Schaffter Hall*, our new Music centre; and the new gymnasium extension, the first phase of the *William Monkman Athletic Complex*.

We are poised on the edge of our Centennial year. The year 2005-06 will celebrate the school's one hundredth year of existence. It will be an occasion of considerable rejoicing, and considerable reflection on the path the school has taken to reach its current circumstance. The students of today's school represent their own blend of promise for the future, different in many ways from the blend of students that would have attended the school 100 years ago. But the nature of students, in many other important ways, does not change too much, despite the outward appearances embodied in buildings, curriculum, uniform and terrain. We still pursue academic success in an environment where the character and self also grow.



## HEADMASTER ROBERT SNOWDEN

This volume is a testament to the richness of those pursuits. There is an incredible variety of achievements, events and successes that will be recorded in this issue of the school yearbook, and the editors and all those others who have contributed long and unrecognized hours assembling this record deserve a great thank you from the rest of us.

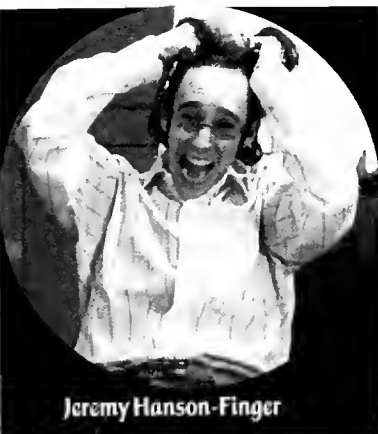


# YEARBOOK TEAM 05



The A Team, with Mr. T





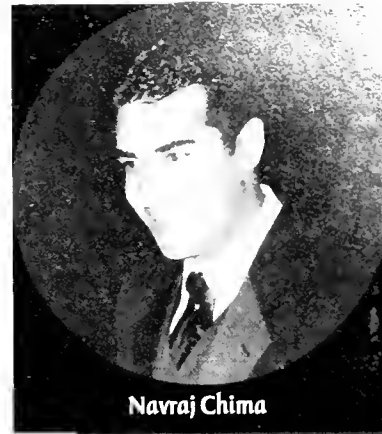
Jeremy Hanson-Finger

So here we are, at the start of 232 pages of Brendan, Jeremy, and Navraj's wildest fantasies - a book no publishing company would dare touch, full of passion and revolution and dripping sarcasm. Er...yes. I guess I could say that it's really a chronicle of SMUS' 99th year of existence, and that credit for its production goes not just to the editors but to the other students as well - but that would be lying to you, my dear readers. And deception is not a good way to start a relationship. Using the word 'dear' is a better way. It's not patronizing at all. It brings to mind an English gentleman sitting in front of a fireplace, a grandfatherly figure who wants nothing but to share his world-weary wit and wisdom with a dedicated following. So imagine the yearbook team is this gentleman, that the fireplace is in the renovated Barker library, and that the story has personal significance.



Brendan Inglis

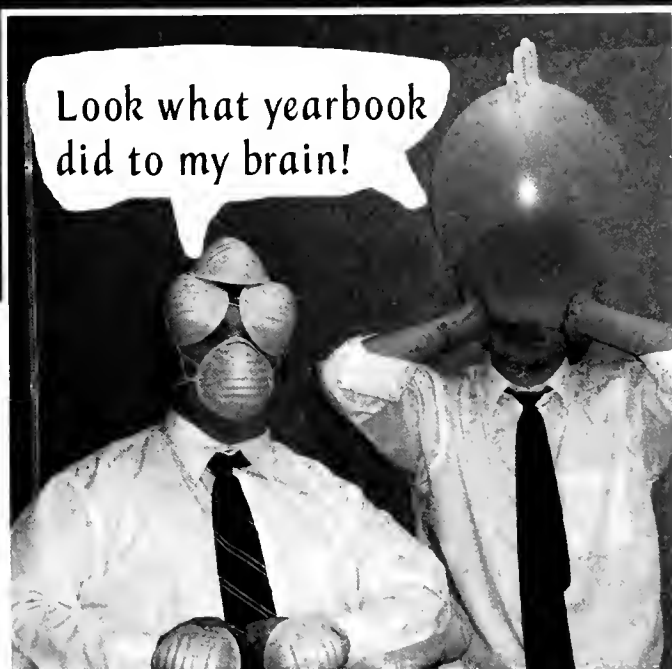
Well, yearbook. How do we define yearbook? Well, I'm sure if I were sufficiently inspired to look it up in a dictionary somewhere it'd say something about a book and a year. It'd probably use the word annual and say something about high school or college. At the moment though, it's 12:50 a.m. and I'm tired. I'm just gonna tell you a story of a yearbook very dear to my heart, the 2004-2005 SMUS Yearbook. Once upon a time, long ago, we asked people to volunteer for the yearbook, and many people, from all across the land did. However, when it came to actually doing work few people ever actually showed up, except for the core. The core is what made that yearbook, and they came regularly to meetings and actually cared. Then Les Mis came, boy did that screw things up. But it was fun. Hey, we got the yearbook room out of it! Cheers.



Navraj Chima

The yearbook can sometimes act like a child: it can misbehave. It crashes into Windows (deliberately), colours all over itself, and often forgets what it did 5 seconds ago, then proceeds to regurgitate half processed pages. It could be quite frustrating when, after 2 hours of work, a message reading "Memory leak; error" would rear its ugly head, and would quickly be replaced with the inevitable Blue Screen of Death. However, through much coaxing and caring, it has grown up into a beautiful, strong volume of memories. This book is the culmination of countless hours of hard work and dedication. We would like to thank our yearbook team, photographers, Reid, and the Jostens staff. In particular, we'd also like to thank Dave for his stunning photographs and finally, a big thank you to our main man JT. Thanks Tayla. And now, without further ado, we present to you VIVAT 04-05. Enjoy.

## "Insanity is only the beginning"



No more! Please! I'll meet the deadline!







# Junior School



# JUNIOR STAFF



## 1 THE NEW PART-TIME JANITOR TEAM

This was NOT in the job description!! These kids seems cute but they sure know how to make themselves dirty!



## 2 MR CHAN & MRS METCALF

Wow! Birthday cake... YUMMY!



## MRS LARSEN & MARILYN

Marilyn Munroe is at the Junior School!!  
Who wants an autograph??

3 So, what happens with Snow White and her Prince Charming?

## STORY TELLING TIME



## MISS MOORE & MS MCLEISH

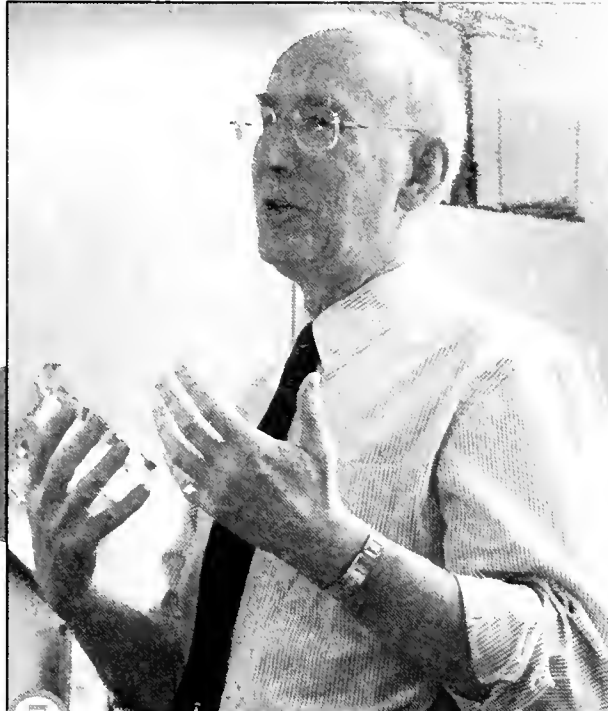
Little Red Riding Hood with a cowgirl?!







Front row, seated: John Harris, Sue Moore  
 Second row, l to r: Gary Barber, Karen Dicks, Sally Blyth, Kathleen Cook, Nina Duffus, Heidi Davis, Diana Nason, Heather Sandquist.  
 Back row, l to r: Duncan Frater, Jolanta Lisiewicz, Cynthia Pearce, Doreen Metcalfe, Gordon Chan, Anne Pybus, Eiko Larsen, Mary Macleish, Angelina Agathoklis.



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### MR HARRIS

RETIRING AFTER 37 YEARS AT SMUS. "THANKS FOR MAKING MATH AND SCIENCE SO MUCH FUN!"

### MS BLYTH

RETURNING TO BE CLOSER TO HER FAMILY IN ONTARIO AFTER NINE YEARS AS THE DIRECTOR OF THE JUNIOR SCHOOL. "WE WILL MISS HER GREAT STORIES IN ASSEMBLY AND HER DISCUSSIONS IN LIFE SKILLS."

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### MISS MOORE

9

RETIRING AFTER 31 YEARS AT SMUS. "WE'LL NEVER FORGET OUR OWL UNIT AND THE FUN WE HAD LEARNING THROUGH PROJECTS IN GRADE TWO."



# KINDERGARTEN

Matthew Berntsen  
Riley Clare  
Quinn Cole  
Nicholas Considine



Ricky Fabris  
Erin Forbes  
Bryn Haydock  
Noah High



Ava Jean Johnston  
Sophie Jones  
Rowan Ko  
Jayne Leggatt



Joshua Litton  
Jessalyn McElderry  
Anna Mollenhauer  
Jonathan Sudul



Laura Williams  
Zachary Zwicky



# GRADE ONE



Kennedy Aragon-Scriven  
Brennan Bellavance  
Sun-Eui Choi  
Charlotte Colby



Benjamin Dawson  
Olivia Donald  
Myles Duncan  
Luke Erasmus  
Connor Fenton  
Emma Frankenger



Laura Grohovac  
Kari Ikonomou  
Anika Johnson  
Jordan Kerr  
Trent Norris  
Sara Owen-Flood



Samuel Perelmutter  
Olivia Roberts  
Bryan Soong  
Ava Stuart  
Heidi Ullrich





# GRADE TWO



Joseph Avio  
Timothy Berntsen  
Amy Bodine  
Arthur Bodine



Rebecca Bosworth  
Claire Cole  
Michael Edwards  
Sage Friswell



Kira Gill-Maher  
Liam Hayden  
Nathan High  
Graeme Hyde-Lay



Athena Kerins  
Alex Lupin  
Matty McColl  
Grant Nicholson



Max Pollen  
Christina Sipos  
Mila Stolle  
Owen Sudul



Austin Vaza  
Isabel Williams



# GRADE THREE



Benjamin Bartlett  
Hayley Burns  
Adam Chan  
Jeremy Chan



Christine Chiu  
Samantha Colby  
Lawton Courtnall  
Nicolas Cunningham



Jenna Dhillon  
Emma Donald  
Bryce Fenton  
Isabella Gudgeon



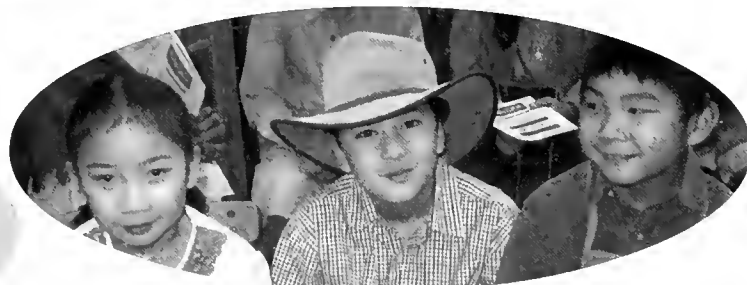
Robbie Hannah  
Caitlin Hastings  
Jack Janus  
Amal Khan



Vivian Lam  
Cimarron Langlois  
Michael Rossi  
Emma Ullrich



Claire Williams  
Jacob Wilson-Potter

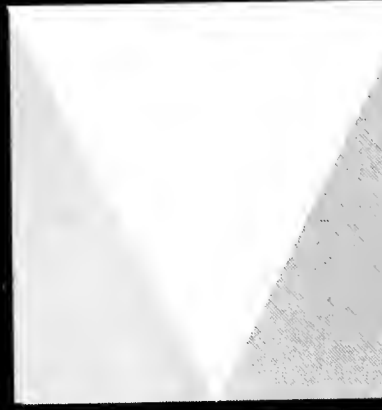
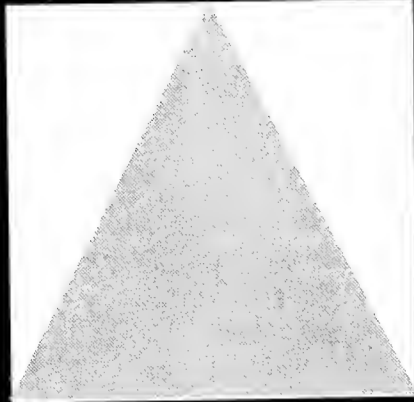


# CANDIDS

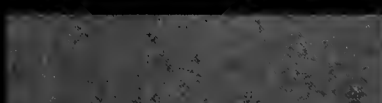
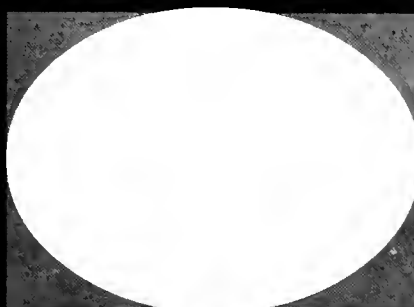


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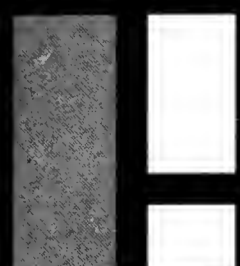
# STUDIOUS



A child can ask questions  
A wise man cannot answer  
— Unknown Author



DRESS-UP





# GRADE FOUR D



Sophia Ducharme  
Christopher Fenje



Ella Hayashi  
Ashley Hoydal-Payne



Lindon Carter



Richard Cunningham



Montgomery  
Fraser-Brown



Luke Friswell



Julia Milden



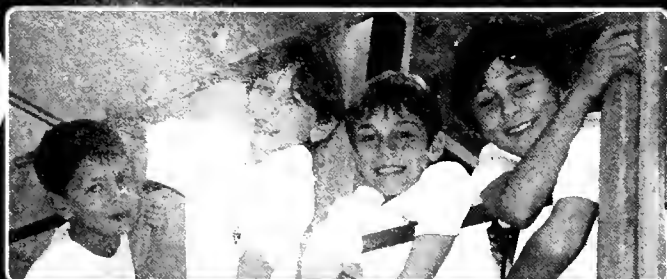
Arden Mollenhauer



Samuel Reid



Trenton Smith



Colton Stockus



Graeme Wheeler



Marita Wyatt



# GRADE FOUR G



Jason Chiu  
Erin Hope  
Liam Hyatt



George Ikonomou  
Lisa Kinoshita  
Ethan Lee



Hannah McElderry  
David Pollen  
Christian Sharp



Claire Soong



Georgia Stuart  
Lucas Thornton



Steven Whillans  
Anna Willms  
Mark Yorath



# GRADE FOUR D



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Richard Cunningham



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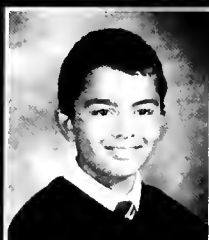
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Samuel Reid



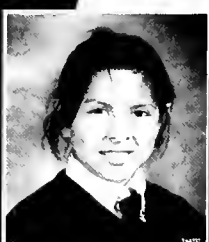
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# GRADE FOUR G



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Erin Hope  
Liam Hyatt



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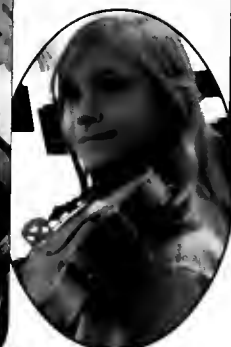


STRINGS



AM, MUSIC. A MAGIC BEYOND  
ALL WE DO HERE. [J. K. ROWLING]

STRINGS





CHOIR



CHOIR



WE WON! WE WON! WE WON!  
UM, UNFORTUNATELY, I BET ON  
THE OTHER TEAM,  
SO WE WON'T BE GOING FOR PIZZA.  
— CHIEF CLANCY WIGGUM  
(THE SIMPSONS)

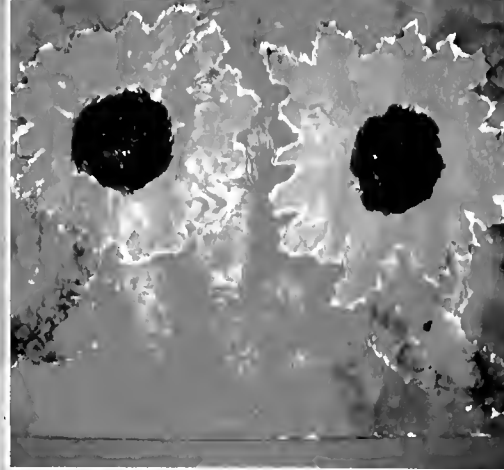




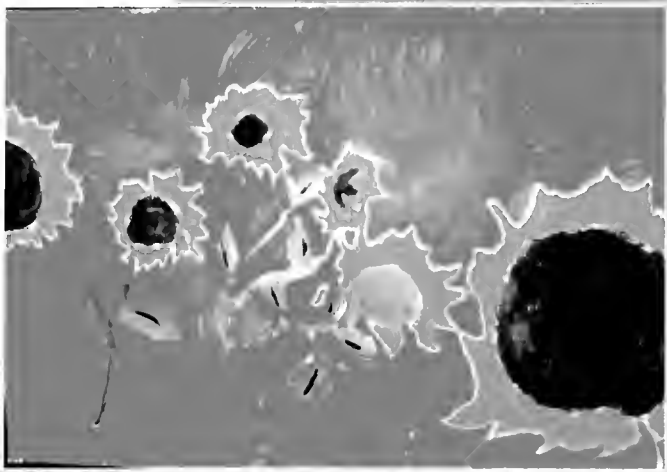
**YOU CAN BECOME A WIN-  
NER ONLY IF YOU ARE  
WILLING TO WALK OVER  
THE EDGE.  
-DAMON RUNYON**



**Every artist dips his brush in  
his own soul, and paints his  
own nature into his pictures.  
-Henry Ward Beecher**



Erin Hope, 4G



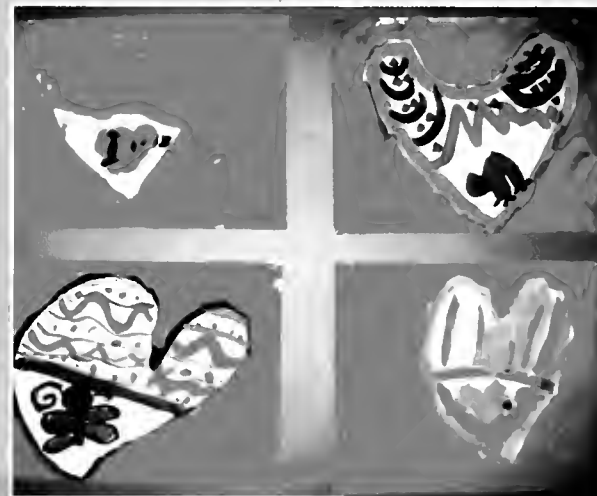
Nicole Chan, 5J

### Candle

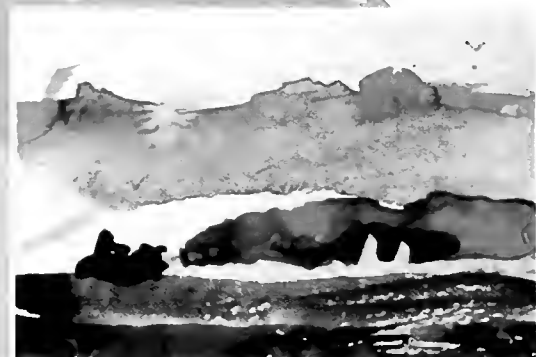
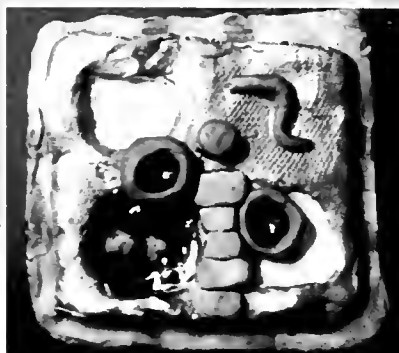
I feel the warmth of the small candle in my hand,  
The shiver of the sun slowly setting,  
I see my father in the distance riding home,  
I can feel the dew at my feet,

The mountains are like shadow creatures lurking in the darkness,  
The sky is like a rainbow that has been blended in a blender,  
The darkness takes over the sky and all is calm.

-Ali Pollen



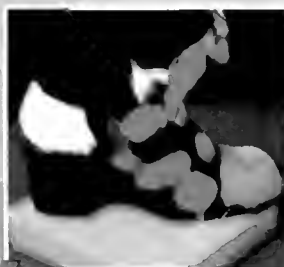




### Dive

I climb to the board  
Position myself  
Prepare to dive  
Wait for to signal to go  
It comes  
I raise my arms  
I jump  
I feel the air rushing past my face  
Then my body meets the water.  
I swim to the surface sputtering.  
Gasping for air  
And learn that it was perfect

-Julia Milden



***Without art, the crudeness of reality  
would make the world unbearable.***

***-George Bernard Shaw***

Remember me I'll

Remember me I'll

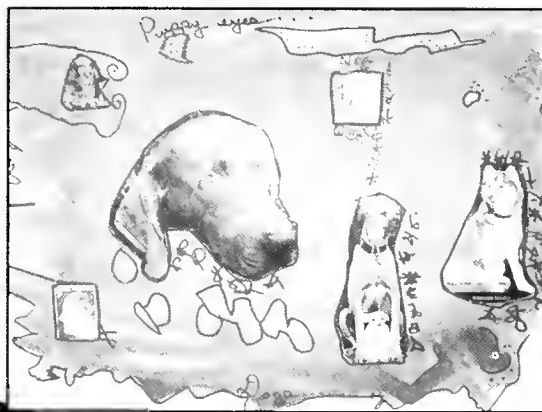
I'll have so high

Remember me

I'll have

Remember

**A poet can survive  
everything but a  
misprint.  
Oscar Wilde**



### Broken Squared

I watch all fall far down into a pit of black fury  
I sit there afraid as little voices call in the dark shade

I am purple I am strong

I think my eyes closed

A block of the devil shatters and shattered

The block of sickness stares at my purple

The pit of my stomach vanishes in

one piece of a neighbor lands my head giving me a small cut and less hair

I cry sweet sorrow tears of hope as the piece talks and fades

A tear lands gently with a splash on the cube's face

The tear is the cube's voice and pulls him into the dark utterly mysterious fog like a thousand points of light

Bright light shines up from the fog and all the pieces return to their place in the puzzle and all are whole and happy

Jason Chiu

I Like

I like China

But I don't like to see poor people

I like love

But I don't like it when it gets too mushy

I like toys

But I don't like it when they break

I like my mom

But I don't like it when she is disappointed with me

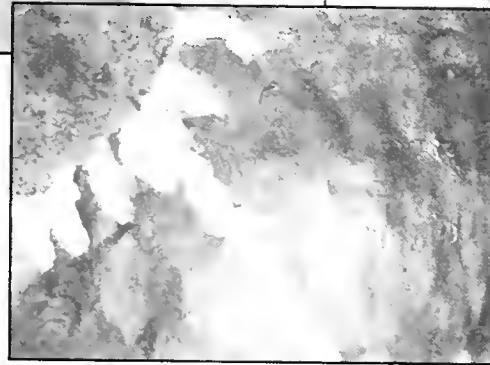
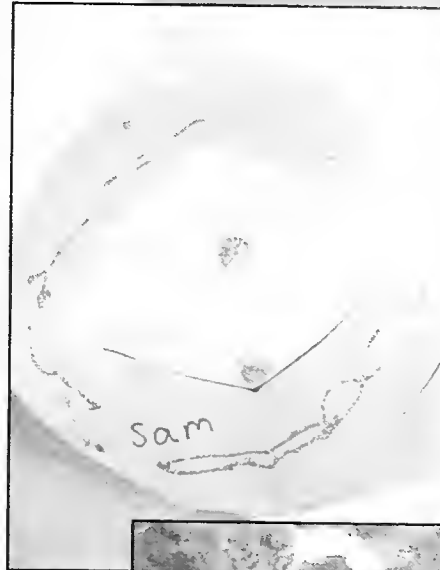
I like to clean up my room

But I don't like it when I have to throw things away

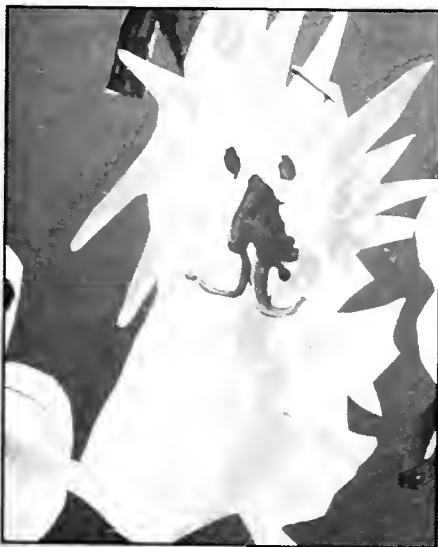
-Jason Chiu



-Ashley Hoyda 



shy an  
only sings to c  
everyone gossips  
she remains blank  
although thiongs laug  
she takes no notice  
and remains locked up for

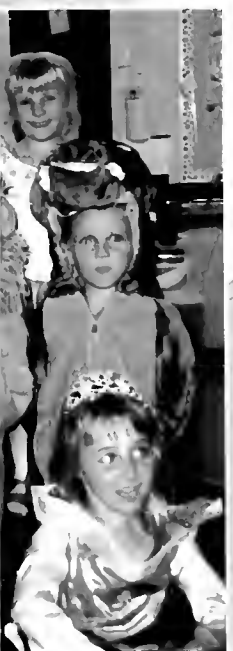


# SPECIAL EVENTS



All I can say about life is,  
Oh God, **ENJOY IT!**  
-Bob Newhart





**SPECIAL  
EVENTS**

Middle

# School





# STAFF



Just like always, the middle school staff were very active inside and outside the classroom! Take a look at what they have been up to this year.

Below: Ms. Van Alstine



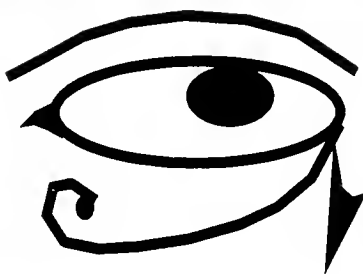
Ms. Mollenhauer trades in her track suit



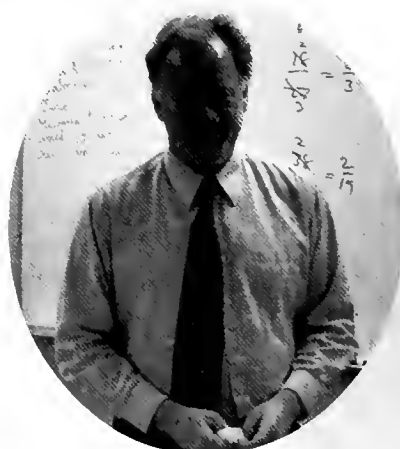
Mr. Floyd in his domain



Halloween, middle school style



Right: Mr. Alford







Boys and girls, this is Africa.



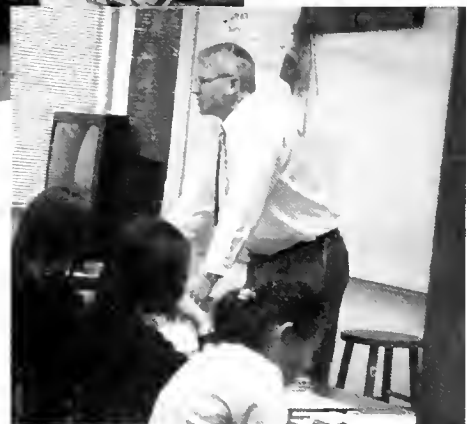
Boys and girls, this is a rabbit.



Makin' copies!



Working hard?



How noble is Newman?

A TEACHER AFFECTS  
ETERNITY; HE CAN  
NEVER TELL WHERE  
HIS INFLUENCE STOPS.  
- HENRY ADAMS



Class with Mr Manson-Blair is  
always exciting!

Will Ayre  
Nicole Bainov  
Tyler Beames  
Eric Beban  
Charles Bennett



Jacob Boness  
Christopher Bosworth  
Nathan Bosworth  
Erica Choi  
Brandon Chow



Brian Christensen  
Jarrett Chung-Smith  
Shelby Clark  
Alexandra Courtnall  
Sean Debroni



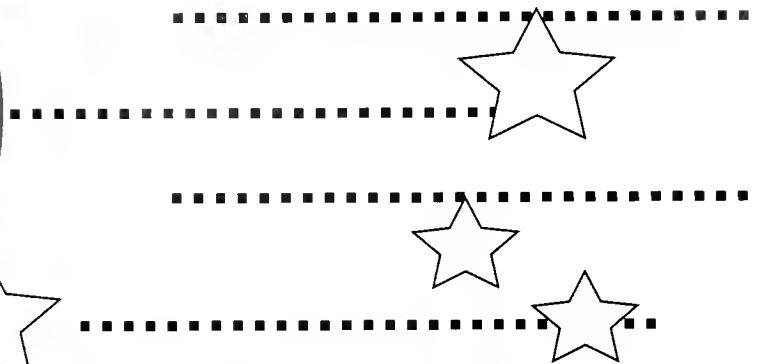
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Connor Eden  
Maxim Ellison  
Hannah Furness  
Joseph Furness



Shivaun Gannon  
Sam Gleave Riemann  
Rebecca Griesser  
Haley Grogan  
Stefan Hall



# GRADE 6



Emily Hayashi  
Robyn Hope  
Kieran Hyatt  
Helen Ip  
Nuraiyah Kassam

Jonathan Ker  
Sarah Khan  
Mary Lapp  
Veronica Li  
Kate Loomer

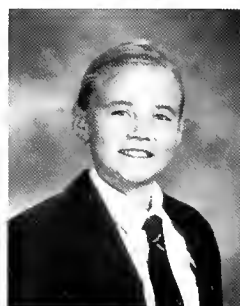
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James Mather  
Logan McColl  
Jeffrey Miller



Tara Moon  
Aidan Morrice  
Megan Parker  
Annie Pike  
Eric Protzer



Cliona Quail-Bradley  
Jared Richardson  
Martika Rodgers  
Emma Ronning-Philip  
Tanya Rossa



Goven Sandhu  
Montana Sawyer  
Dylan Sedgwick  
Michael Shaw  
Colin Smith



Jocelyn Stedman  
Rick Stolle  
Camille Stone  
Kaleigh Stuart  
Connor Thomson



Meredith Witoski  
Sophie Yeates



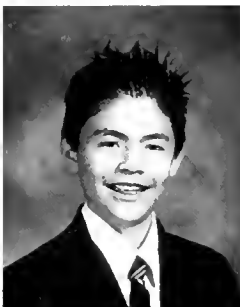
GREAT







# GRADE 7



Emma Abrioux  
Jeremy Bagshaw  
Portia Bekes  
Giuliana Bianco  
Richard Boness



Oliver Brooks  
Cameron Buckingham  
Maxwell Considine  
Laura Dale  
Scott Dallen



Travis Denley  
Joshua Edgar  
Andy Erasmus  
Lisa Evans  
Lukas Galbraith





Kristijan Gjorgjevik  
Samantha Green  
James Harris  
Benjamin Hayes  
Kari Helgason



Janine Hsu  
Michael Ip  
Hisham Ismail  
Claire Jackson  
Shaun Kho



Wonjin Kim  
Nicolas Klak  
Parker Langlois  
Richelle Leonard  
Kirsten MacLeod



Kyle Marshall  
Eric May  
Luke McCloskey  
Cameron Metcalfe  
Tycho Mommsen-Smith



Emily Mulroney  
Rebecca Mulroney  
Danielle Murtland  
Thomas Nicholson  
Morio Oyake



*A Cheerful Friend Is Like  
A Sunny Day Spreading  
Brightness All Around.  
- John Lubcock*



Christian Pasitney  
Mina Phaisaltantiwongs  
Reid Plasterer  
Hayden Potash-Kooyman  
Ross Prager



Genna Purcell  
Celina Santilli-Giza  
Bradley Sawyer  
Benjamin Schaan  
David Sedley



Joseph Shan  
James Sharp  
Kieran Sharpe  
Sydney Stockus  
Becky Thomas



Daniele Tipping  
Marc Van Der Wal  
Emma Wilson-Pease  
Simon Witt  
Mark Wizinsky

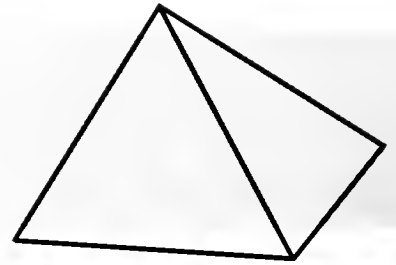


Leanne Wood  
Jamie Yorath  
Alex Zapantis

*We Will Be Friends Until  
Forever... Just You Wait And  
See! - Winnie the Pooh*



# grade EIGHT



Olev Anniko  
Colin Beban  
Melissa Bosworth  
Joshua Brennan  
Kyle Bridge



Thomas Bridger  
Sheena Campbell  
Johnny Chang  
Yun Jeong Choi  
Duncan Clarke



Christian Colquhoun  
Megan Cooper  
Colin Copes  
Jonathan Cunningham  
Rachel Davel



Olivia De Goede  
Bhupinder Dalku  
Steffi Duvenage  
Benjamin Effa  
Elizabeth Fenje



Reilly Fong  
Riordan Forsyth  
Anna Fretz  
Ian Gabriel  
Laura Gilmore





Nicole Godwin  
Konstantin Golikov  
Sasha Gray  
Douglas Grimmer  
Patricia Halim

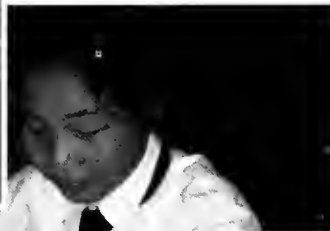


April Hall  
Ashley Hawes  
Neil Hayden  
Emma Houghton  
John Humphries



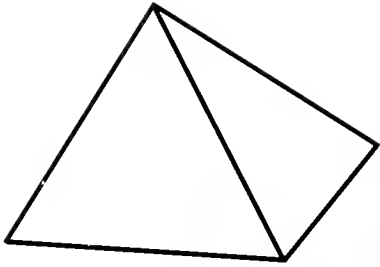
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Shun Kinoshita  
Lauren Kipp

# A SAMPLE OF GR. 8 LIFE:





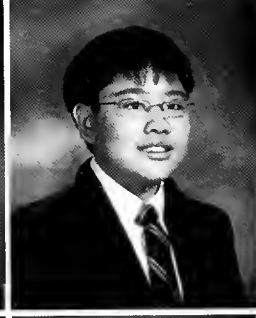
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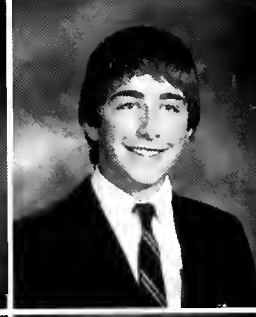
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Katherine Kohler  
Rory Lattimer



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Charles Leitz  
Kevin Lin  
Daniela Loggia  
Evan Louie



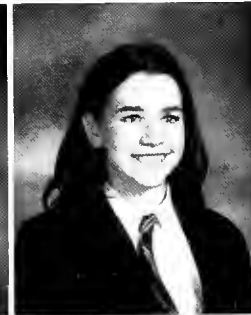
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Ceilidh Macleod  
Chad Margolus  
Kirsten Marsh  
Jake McCloskey



Lexi McColl  
Claire McKenzie  
Harmon Moon  
Taylor Moon  
Robert Nam



Joel Nason  
Beau Parker  
Katherine Peiffer  
Amrita Pooni  
Francis Quinlan



# Continued...



Emily Reid  
Karia Rosenberg  
Monica Rossa  
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Jetti Sawatdipong



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Mackenzie Stone



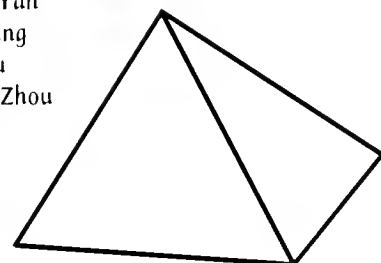
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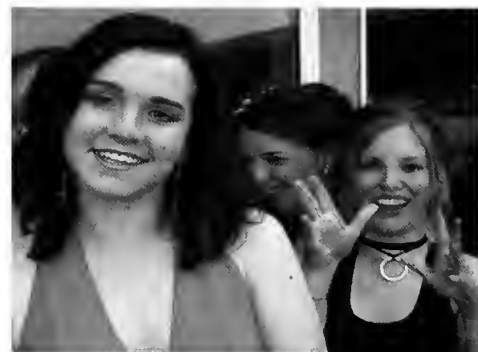




HOW CAN THE FUTURE...



POSSIBLY BE READY..



FOR US?

# DINNER DANCE

GRADE EIGHTS GRADUATE THE MIDDLE SCHOOL!



*The Grade 8 Class of 2005*



Two dudes scoping the scene



Charming as always



Hangin with the prof



More good times ahead

"Growing up is never easy. You hold on to things that were. You wonder what's to come. But that night, I think we knew it was time to let go of what had been, and look ahead to what would be. Other days. New days. Days to come. The thing is, we didn't have to hate each other for getting older. We just had to forgive ourselves...for growing up." - Anonymous



"We did not change as we grew older; we just became more clearly ourselves."

- Lynn Hall



ON TO THE  
SENIOR SCHOOL!



# RUGBY



The 2004 Grade Eight rugby season was a huge success, and a most enjoyable and very exciting one for all concerned. A total of 29 players were involved including a handful of Grade 7's, playing six matches against ISA opponents, with two exhibition games also played. The team's improvement during the season was astonishing, and the squad met or exceeded every one of their goals.

After just two weeks of practices, the team opened their season at the ISA Jamboree where they found the going tough, losing all three of their games. This was quickly followed up with a big loss away at St. Georges. There were, however, many encouraging signs at this early stage of much improved future performances, as the team played with great conviction. These signs were duly borne out in the coming weeks, with a exhibition win over Dover Bay, double victories over both Brentwood and Shawnigan, and an amazing return win over St. Georges. The team's only other loss came at the hands of Ladysmith in a game played in miserably cold and wet conditions.

Throughout, it was a total team effort and without wishing to focus on individuals, some players do deserve special mention. In the forwards co-captain and prop Johnny Humphries, hooker Kevin Lin deserve recognition as do the backrow of Aiman Ismail, Josh Brennan, and Beau Parker. In the backs scrumhalf Jamie Saunders, flyhalf Tom Bridger, co-captain and inside centre Colin Beban, wing Shun Kinoshita, and fullback Haisham Ismail all had their moments.

The team gives thanks to coaches Mr. Bruce Kuklinski, Mr. Robert Common and Mr. Jerome Foenander for their commitment and assistance. Also thanks to the parents for your greatly appreciated support and encouragement.



# ROWING



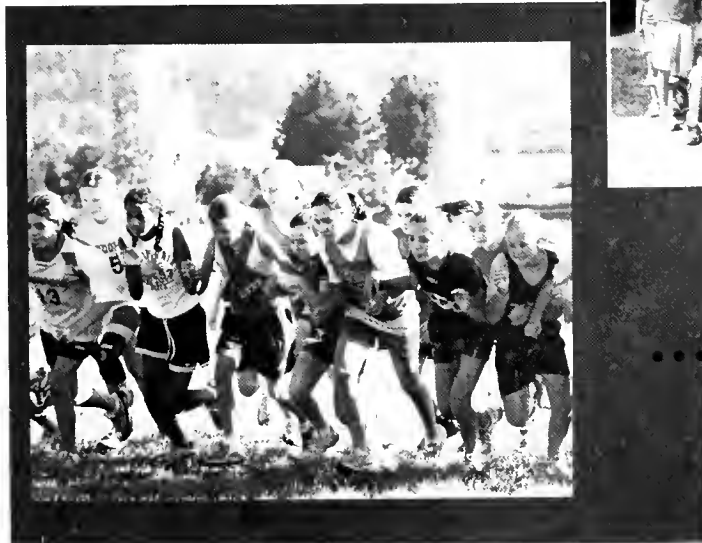
# VOLLEYBALL



**B**oundless energy and enthusiasm, bouncing and twirling bodies, smiles, laughter and giggles, this wonderful group of girls tried

their very best to learn some of the basic skills of this difficult sport. We focused on the sidearm serve, calling for the ball, and passing to another player before attempting to send it back over the net to our opponents. We played our best volleyball at the final jamboree, winning several games thanks to some amazing serving and lots of teamwork. Our spirit, sportsmanship and vocal talents were remarkable. Sing it girls! "Jack and Jill went up the hill - Ooh, ain't that funky now! - Hump - ty, Dump - Hump, Hump - ty, Dump..." and "I say go; you say fight, 'Go! Fight! Go! Fight!', When I say win; you say tonight, 'Win! Tonight! Win! Tonight!', When I say boogie, you say down, 'Go, fight, win tonight, boogie on down, tonight, tonight!'"

# CROSS COUNTRY



# boys ★★ basketball

## GRADE 7

This year we had an exceptionally dedicated group of players that attended practice regularly, even when it was at 7 am. They also were prepared to follow some simple suggestions to make their overall play more effective. The end result was that the boys and I had a lot of fun and an overall record of 11 wins and just 1 loss. I hope all the boys enjoyed their experience on the hardwood and I look forward to watching their future development in sport. - Coach: Jim Goede.

Win!



Score!



Shoot!





# girls basketball



It was a brief and interesting season of attrition that came to a welcoming end with the production of Africa! The first practice saw 15 basketball hopefuls; this number then swelled to 18 at the next practice! After that, however, several girls withdrew from the team due to increasing extracurricular commitments, including production rehearsals. The team continually struggled to attract sufficient numbers for practices and even games. At the end of the season there were 6 faithful players who persevered: Rachel Davel, Lexi McColl, Lauren Kipp, Olivia de Goede, Kathryn Kohler, and Alice Lee. - Coach: Mr. Newman.



## GRADE 7



This was an outstanding season for the Middle School Grade VII Girls basketball team! At times, 17 girls turned out for practices and games! Perhaps what was most notable was the improvement in skills that the girls showed over the course of our short season and this, in no small part, can be attributed to the fact that most of the girls also played on the SMUS Night League team coached by Mr. Stockus. Indeed, the girls were competitive in all their games, winning more than 70% of them but without a doubt the greatest excitement came from a last second victory over Cedar Hill. In our final game of the year, the girls thoroughly dominated a very talented team from Mulgrave School in Vancouver! It has been a pleasure for me to coach such dedicated girls who were always positive and "soldiered on" in all circumstances!



# Dream Team

## FUN MOMENTS



GO!  
GO !!  
GO !!!

In a year where several schools showed great promise, our girls had to work hard for every point they earned. A three day, seven game tournament resulted in 3 wins, 3 losses and a tie. This was a young and inexperienced side with only the captain, Courtney Mahrt, having experienced the tournament before. The good news is that there is the potential for seven girls to return to the tournament again next year. The girls were stoic in defeat and gracious in victory. I could not have asked for more.

-Jim de Goede - SMUS Middle School



# SOCCER



A LITTLE  
THING  
TO TELL  
YOU...



"Soccer is simple, but it is difficult to play simple."



" You have got to shoot, otherwise you can't score ! "



" If you score one more goal than the other team, you win."

SING

DANCE

ACT



# Africa





# A WHOLE NEW WORLD OF MUSIC

## - STRINGS, BAND, & CHOIR

There is always music amongst the trees in the garden, but our hearts must be very quiet to hear it...

Music melts all the separate parts of our bodies together

It had never occurred to me before that music and thinking are so much alike. In fact you could say music is another way of thinking, or maybe thinking is another kind of music



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## THE MUSICIANS

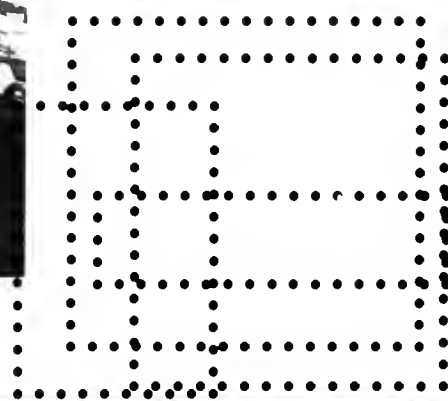


# HARMONY HARMONY HARMONY HARMONY HARMONY



"I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING  
ABOUT MUSIC.  
IN MY LIFE YOU DON'T HAVE  
TO."

"LOVE IS LIKE A VIOLIN.  
THE MUSIC MAY STOP  
NOW AND THEN, BUT  
THE STRINGS REMAIN  
FOREVER."

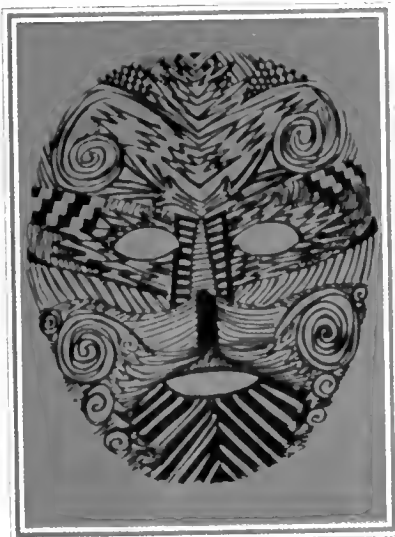


# SING, PLAY, LIVE >>>



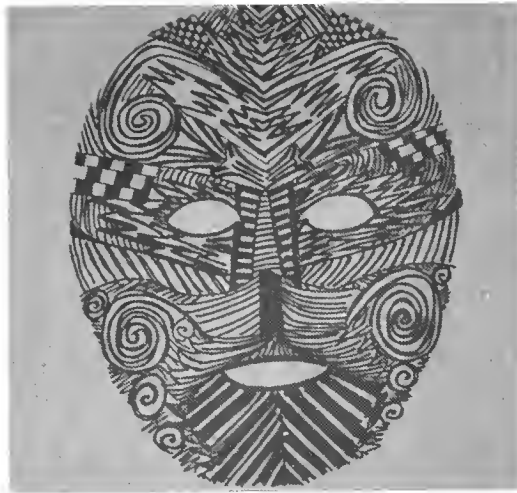
# The Faces

# Arts





# Arts & Writing



I'M SORRY (HEH HEH)

I'm sorry I ate your chocolate  
(as scrumptious as it was)  
But the creamy filling was  
delicious  
And the fudge was simply  
luscious,  
I can't believe how rich, tasty,  
lush and..  
Well, I'm sorry I ate your  
chocolate.

TARA MOON GR 6





Are you really sure  
that a floor can't also  
be a ceiling?  
M. C. Escher



## SNOWBALL FIGHT

BY ERIC BEBAN GR 6

I smell victory drawing near, through my frozen, crusty boogers.

I feel a snowball clenched tightly in my fist.

I hear something, whistling towards me!

I see something coming right for me!

I taste cold snow in my mouth, and with that I taste defeat.

Painting is silent poetry,  
and poetry is painting  
that speaks.  
Plutarch



## TSUNAMI

My mother tried to say something.

But the words were garbled by the waves.

All of a sudden she was gone.

The waves thrashed around me wildly.

I saw my one chance of survival and  
grabbed it.

There I waited hoping something would go  
right

ANNIE PIKE GR 6



“

WHAT DO YOU CALL  
A NERVOUS WITCH?

A: A TWITCH



WHY DID  
DRACULA  
HAVE TO  
TAKE  
MEDICINE?

**Mr. Dracula**

TO CURE  
HIS COFFIN



THE TUG OF WAR—PULL PULL  
PULL!!!



A CREEPY HALLOWEEN MARCH



CAN WE  
GET ANY  
BETTER?



THE WOMAN WITH NO FACE





A RED DEVIL, A WITCH, AND A COUNTRY GIRL ARE GETTING SERIOUS!



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# Special Events

The fun memories that will make us smile throughout our lifetimes.



Have you ever seen a skeleton with dark glasses?

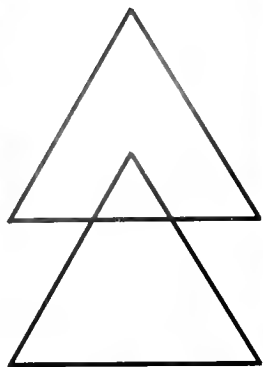
No? It works well, doesn't it?

**The Blushing Lady**



THE SCARIEST TWINS—  
"DON'T WE LOOK RED-HOT?"





Prosperity  
makes friends,  
adversity  
tries them.

- Publilius  
Syrus



MULTICULTURAL  
TEA CEREMONY



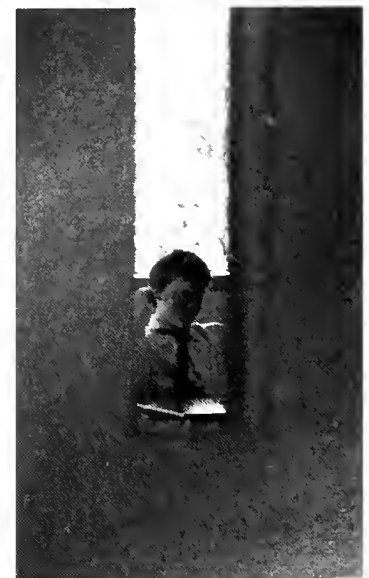
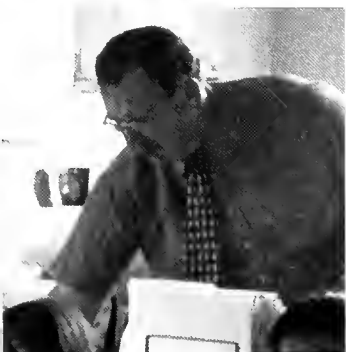
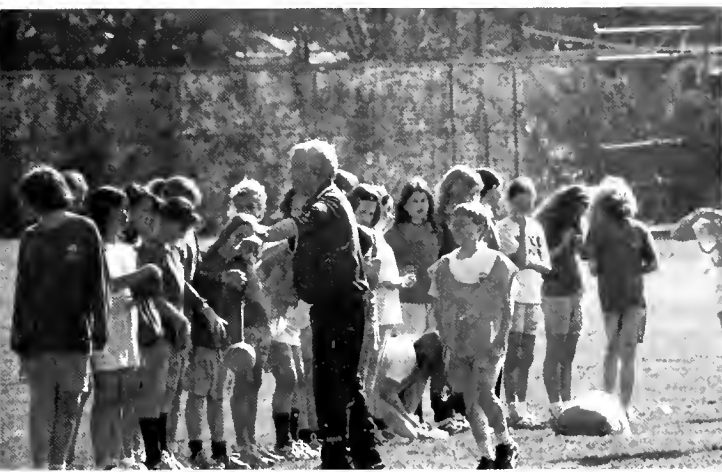
TRIBAL BEAUTIES



INTENSE  
COMPETITION

# >> THE CANDIDpage

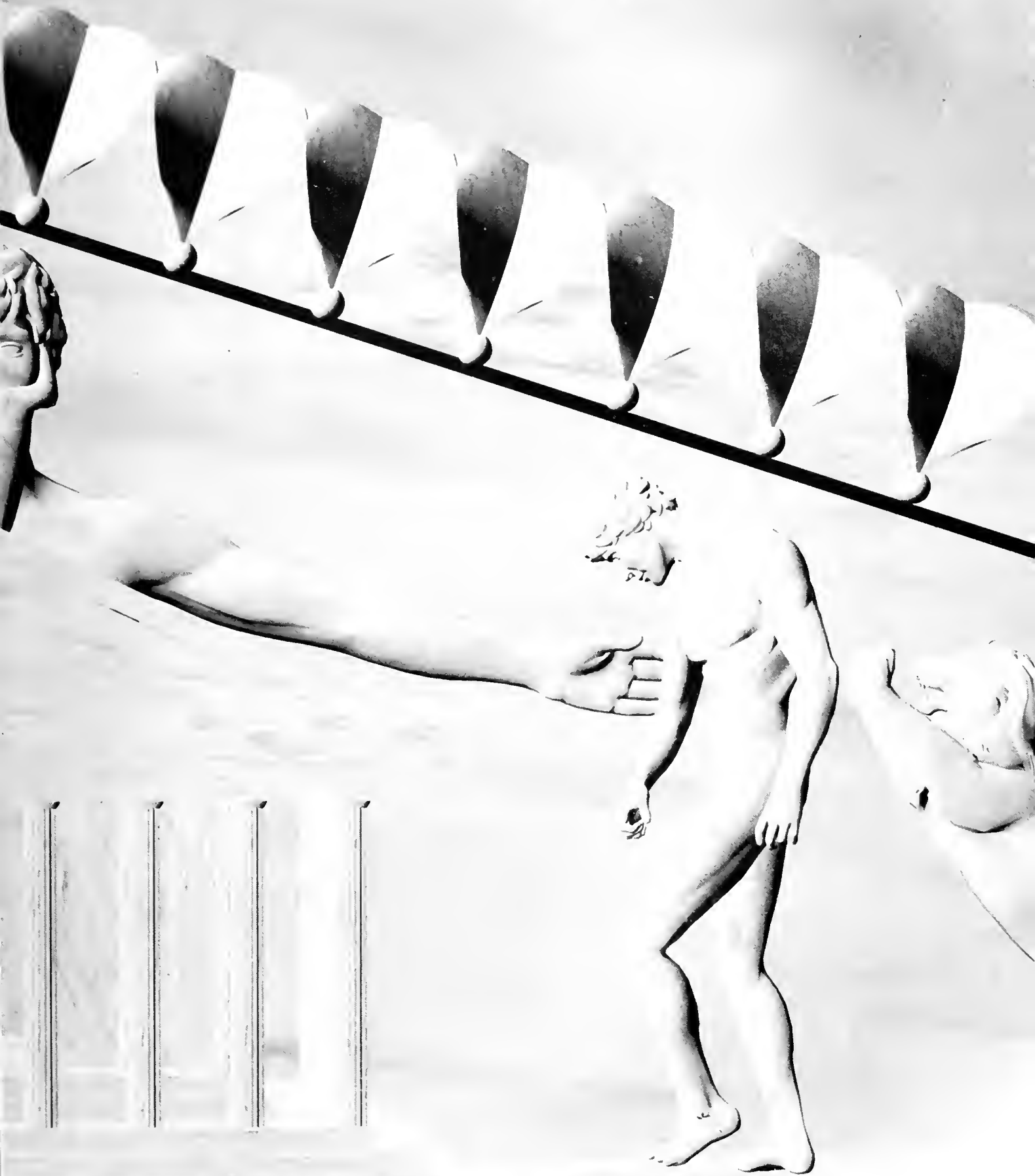
# "The best part...is having people watch me" - Daniel Jordan III



# SENIOR



# SCHOOL





# STAFF

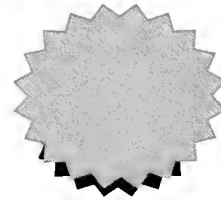


"When we grew up and went to school, there were certain teachers..." - Pink Floyd





# Grade 9



Daniel Altman  
Elizabeth Ayre  
Jason Bains  
Terra Barnes  
Annelies Beke  
Robert Bell  
Tica Bengston



Stephanie Bentzon  
Francesca Bianco  
Oliver Bild  
Darren Broome  
Heather Buckingham  
Erik Burke  
Dylan Callow



Jacquelyn Carson  
Jennifer Cha  
Germain Chan  
Zachary Chan  
Nicholas Charleton  
Michelle Cheimak  
Andrew Chen



Eric Chen  
Yula Cho  
Tony Chuang  
Jee In Chung  
Andrew Crow  
Peter Carrie  
Paul Davison



Jennifer Debroni  
Lori Emshey  
Martin Erlic  
Joshua Evans  
Siobhan Glen  
Riley Gudgeon  
Elizabeth Guilbault



# 2005

*two thousand five*



Ryan Hall  
Gillian Harper  
Ian Harper  
Rosanna Harris  
Jessica Harvey  
Christopher Hawe  
Louis Hayes

Sydney Helm  
Jasmine Hendriks  
Allen Hsu  
Felix Hu  
Graham Inglis  
Imran Ismail  
Jennifer Jackson

Adam Kennes  
Victoria Ker  
Terry Kho  
Ellina Kim  
Seyi Kim  
Chris Kimmerly  
Nicholas Lampard

Emily Lee  
Samantha Lee  
Emily Lewis  
Benson Ling  
Arthur Lo  
Kevin Luk  
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Courtney Mahrt  
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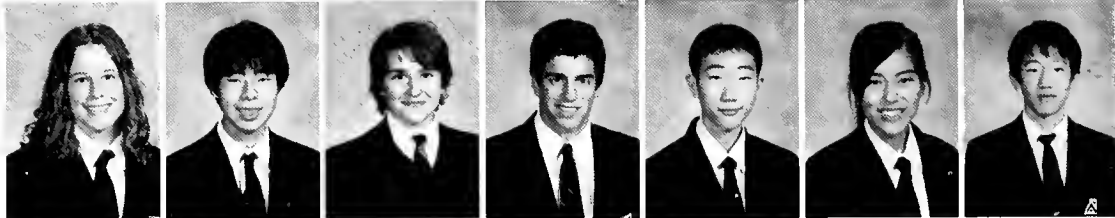
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# Grade 9



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Sarah Moselle  
Richard Moser  
Ie Nam  
Gloria Ng  
Myung Hwan Oh



Michaela Onasick  
Leanne Ostlund  
Min Ju Park  
Raksit Pattanapitoon  
Iliya Pavlovic  
Nicholas Pawluk  
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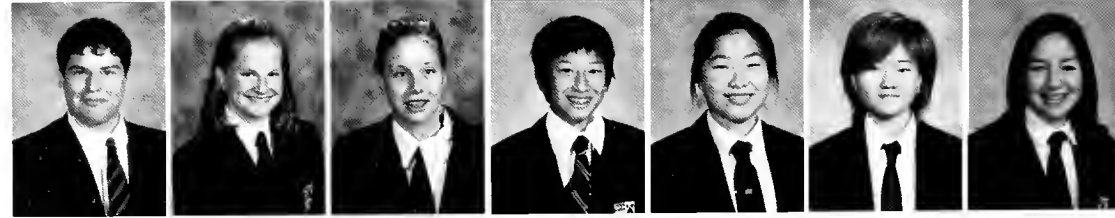
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Kevin Wang  
Dani Ward  
Ali Wheeler  
Olivia Whittick  
Katrina Whyte



Jordan Wiedemann-Komarnicki  
Kathryn Wizinsky  
Angharad Wylie  
Justin Yan  
In Kyung Yang  
Linda Yang  
Cassandra Zawilski



# Grade 10



Diandra Barsalou



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Matthew Bosworth



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Hugo Chan



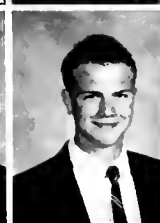
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Justin Courtinall  
Christopher Cunningham



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Julie De Gea  
Andrea De Goede  
Danielle Denley  
Jagjitpal Dhariwal  
Jason Dhillon  
Andrew Diba



Stephen Dong  
George Duthie  
Renee Duvenage  
Nicole Edgar  
Jeff Erasmus  
Tommy Fong  
Jessica Gnitt



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Ellis Gray  
Kelsey Gultner  
Michael Hamilton  
Peggy Hogan  
Molly Hosie



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Jane Hu  
Lexi Julianella



Katie James  
Peter Jawl  
Rachael Jewell  
Andrew Johnson

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Shane Keepence  
Laurn Kerr  
Jesse Kliman  
Justin Ko  
Nicole Kwon



Vanessa Lah  
Margaret Lapp  
Wayne Lau  
Hoon Lee  
Ji Min Lee  
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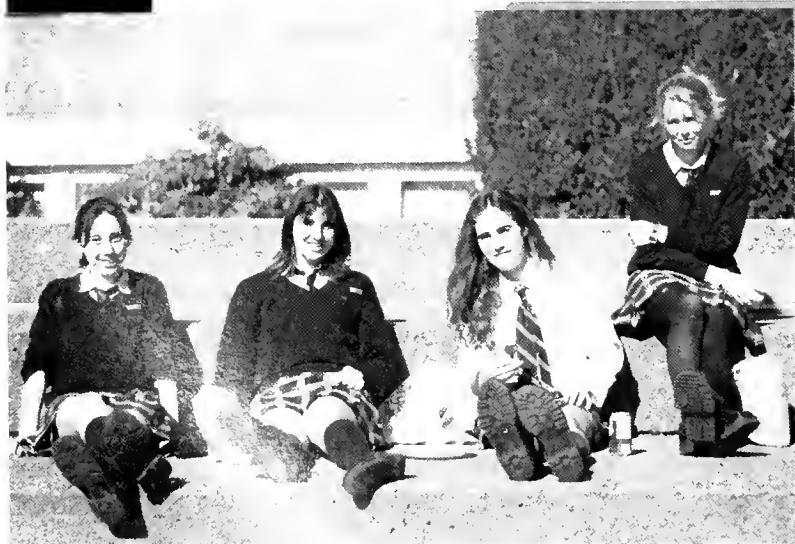
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Onye Onyeabor-Udech



Kevin O'Riordan  
Lucas Parker  
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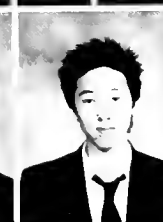
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Ajit Dhillon  
Singh Jennifer  
Smith Ravin  
Song Mariel  
Spence David  
Stewart David



Kyle Symons  
Ryley Tapping  
Valerie Taylor  
Tilly Nicole  
Timmis Kate  
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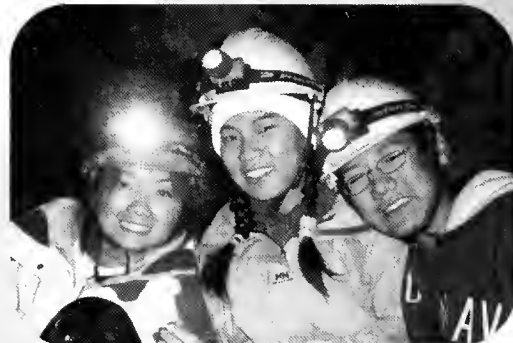
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# Grade 11



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Maryam Allehbi  
Jasmine Bains  
Andrew Battershill  
Kyra Benloulou  
Matthew Blumer



Alexander Bridgeman  
James Bridger  
Anthony Bryson  
Campbell Bryson  
Graham Butler  
Dennis Carson  
Andrea Chan



Felicia Chapheau  
Ivy Chen  
Yan Chen  
Danielle Cherkas  
Henry Cheung  
Tomson Chiu  
Daniel Christensen



Hannah Cole  
Jordan Connell  
Christopher Connolly  
Anna Cordon  
Robert Crapo  
Alastair Crow  
Ian Crowe



Alexander Dalton  
Caitlin Dalton  
Korbin Da Silva  
Jonathan Effa  
Jeremy Evans  
Horace Fang  
Laura Faryna



"I have never let my schooling interfere with my education" - Mark Twain



Mark Featherstonhaugh  
Christian Fenner  
James Furneaux  
Nicolas Gething  
Julia Gill  
Bryan Gislason  
Sarah Goulding



Rohan Gowda  
Eddie Gudewill  
William Gudgeon  
Alexander Hache  
Kimbell Hall  
Min Gee Han  
Jane Hauser

David Heffernan  
Samson Ho  
Nicholas Houghton  
Hayley Hudson  
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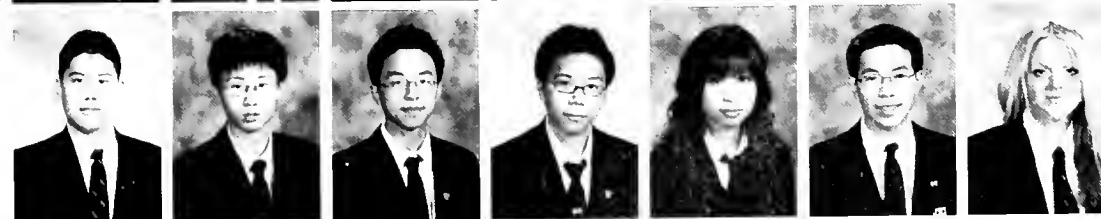


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Stephanie Klak  
Morgan Lea Kliman



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Jaron Kropp  
Faith Lau  
Bryce Laver  
Albert Lee  
Jordana Lee

Patrick Leung  
Oscar Lien  
Dennis Lin  
Renault Lin  
Monika Liu  
Steven Lu  
Jasmine Luchuck



Sabrina Lucch  
Aidan MacInnis  
Connor Macneil  
Aminah Malik  
Jesse Margolus  
Sarica May  
Callum McClure



# Grade 11 CONT'D



Emily McKenzie  
Taylor McKinnon  
Tim Miao  
Samuel Minaker  
Dylan Moran  
Christina Moser  
Violetta Mueller



Sarah Nam  
Mona Niebuhr  
Maximilian Oehl  
Ryan Onasick  
Christine Ottmar  
Henry Pai  
Benz Phaisaltantiwongs



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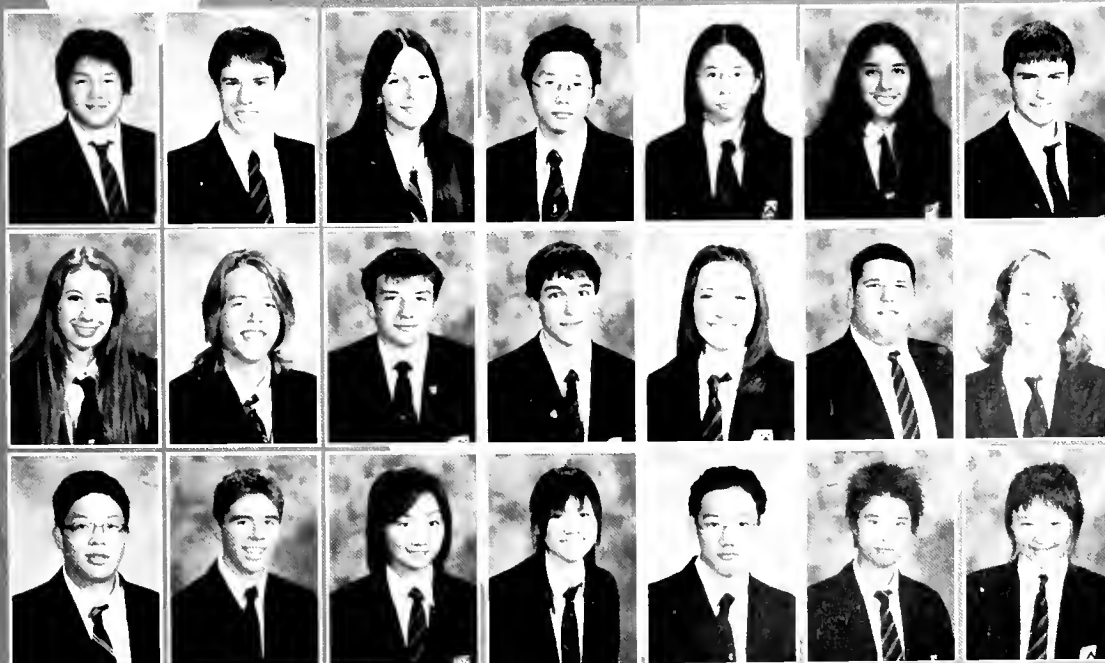


Johanna Schaeffer  
Morgan Schleyer  
Erik Sjoberg  
Drew Solis  
Linda Song  
Quinn Starnum  
Katie Thompson





"I'm seventeen and I'm crazy. And crazy says that the two always go together. When I was born, my dad said, 'Always say seventeen and in the month of February'."



Sean Suga  
Shane Sweet  
Jacobs Tan  
Henry Tang  
Annette Lee  
Ruth Thompson  
Kara Tolan

Beth Wagner  
Chen Webster  
Kathleen Weiss  
Yoshi Wengert  
Zach Wiley  
Emily Winkelman-Konarski  
Kati Winkelman

Daryl Wong  
Alexander Wray  
Jennifer Yon  
Lee Ling Yang  
Vincent Yang  
Vicky Ying  
Jennifer Yuen  
Katie Zhang



# ports





# Grade 10 Rugby



Back row (L to R): Arin Veerapen, Stewart Matthews, David Stewart, Duncan McIntyre, Ted Whittick, Jag Dhariwal, Alex Saunders  
3rd row: Mr. Ian Hyde-Lay, Ben Cole, Wayne Lau, Q Lee, Ellis Grey, Michael Upton, Mr. Peter Tongue, Mr. Campbell Hall  
2nd row: Lucas Parker, Nico Mavrikos, Matt Bosworth, Ryley Tapping, Ajit Singh, Jeff Erasmus, George Duthie, Chris Cunningham, Jesse Kliman  
Front row: Justin Courtnall, Yianni Mavrikos, Dan Weidner, Craig Gorman, Pete Jawl, Alex Reid, Michael Seo, Ravin Song

**T**

he Grade 10 Rugby group established themselves as one of the best teams to ever represent the school at this age level, mowing through all opposition en route to an undefeated season and ISA, City and Island titles.

Certainly, the core group of players possessed a lot of natural talent, and a comparable work ethic and competitiveness.

The speed at which they were able to play the game proved irresistible, with 88 tries scored in 14 matches.

A high intensity strength and conditioning program, led by Mr. Dave Smit, also was invaluable, as the power and overall fitness of the players would inevitably kick into high gear late in matches.

The season highlight was undoubtedly the demolition of archrival Oak Bay in the City final. Despite playing into a strong first half wind, the squad scored three glorious tries to lead by twelve points at the break. Only some loose finishing in the second half prevented the score from mounting far above the final tally of 46-10. In this game, the forward pack came of age, demonstrating a hard, uncompromising edge for which SMUS teams are not often known.



At openside flanker, captain Matt Bosworth set an outstanding example, and displayed a savvy beyond his years. His back row partners, Nico Mavrikos and Lucas Parker, also dominated, the former with his elusive and powerful running, the latter by blue-collar approach and crunching tackling.

In the front five, locks Ajit Singh and Jeff Erasmus were workhorses throughout, while, once back from a shoulder injury, George Duthie displayed tremendous range and all round ability. Hooker Ryley Tapping was steadiness personified, and really improved his lineout throwing. Chris Cunningham, a dogged, ultra reliable tighthead prop, developed dramatically. Finally, loosehead Jesse Kliman was simply outstanding in every match, scrummaging well, tackling bravely, and showing a fine array of ball skills.

Behind the scrum, the backline made light of the mid season loss of Peter Jawl, who was in top form before suffering a season ending shoulder injury. Craig Gorman moved seamlessly into the crucial flyhalf position, with his cool head, fine hands, and excellent goal kicking ability much valued. Alex Reid, a tough, livewire at scrum half, helped make this transition as easy possible, thanks mainly to his slick passing.

In the midfield, both Dan Weidner and Yianni Mavrikos were a handful, putting in some crunching tackles and carving numerous holes in defences. The direct beneficiaries were the mercurial and talented Justin Courtnall at fullback, and two steady wingers in Mike Seo and Ravin Song.

The weakness of the overall 10s group was a lack of depth, with the B XV very much a fluid operation. A small core of players, such as Mike Upton, Wayne Lau, Ellis Gray and Arin Veerapen were reliable, and took their chances well in the top team. Still, the variable commitment of too many other reserve players was annoying; in that when all were present they could play good rugby.

The A squad, bolstered by a handful of Grade 9s, looks forward to a Spring Break three match tour to England. This will be an excellent challenge for a group not seriously tested late in any game this term.

Thanks to Mr. Peter Tongue, Mr. Campbell Hall, and 1<sup>st</sup> XV captain from 2001, David Jawl, for their coaching assistance, support and motivation.

Further thanks to a loyal band of parents, who supported the team enthusiastically, and were rewarded with some wonderful rugby.





Back (L to R): Takahiro Miyoshi, Martin Erlic, Allen Hsu, Michael Van de West, Richard Moser, Chris Howe, Ilya Pauloric, Felix Ho, Mr. Anderson  
Front: Justin Yan, Chris Kimmerly, Nick Lampard, Graham Inalis, Sam Skulsky, Myung When Oh, Ryan Hall, Nick Ch...

## Grade 9 Rugby

The Grade 9 rugby season was not looked upon in terms of wins and losses but rather on how the individuals developed into a tightly knit group of players. Lacking in numbers but not in spirit, the team made huge advances in our knowledge of the game and ability to execute our pattern of play. This was exemplified by our performance in the ISA competition. The early season trip to St. George's was hugely disappointing, as a lack of commitment to the tackle and general inexperience led to a lopsided loss. However, with dogged determination, discipline at practice through October and November and invaluable game experience gained against Shawnigan and Brentwood, we managed to earn a close fought victory on their return trip to the island. It was an outstanding effort that took a great deal of courage as we defended our goal line for the last 5 minutes of play. Richard Moser was dangerous in attack and ever present in defense throughout the whole season while Andrew Crow and Michael Van der Westhuizen played key roles in our attacking platform. Myung When Oh was a vastly improved player by the end of the season and provided some flair on offense and made many try saving tackles from fullback. Well to all and a special congratulations to those asked to play up with the grade 10 squad at the island championships.



Back Row (L to R): Elliot Anderson, Sean Suga, Alistair Crow, Dan Weidner, Richard Ma, Jakob Keller, Shane Sweet, George Duthie, Jesse Kliman, Phil James, Mr. Hyde-Lay, Mr. Tongue  
Middle Row: Matt Bosworth, Andrew Crow, Ajit Singh, Chris MacCarthy, Rupert Common, James Bridger, Dennis Carson, Taylor Kipp, Andrew Weir, Ryley Tapping  
Front Row: Matt Charleton, Connor McNeil, John Tapping, Alex Wray, John Vernon, Andrew Cavin, Alex Reid, Eddie Gudewill

It was a close run thing for the Senior Rugby group this season, as only some Houdini like escapes in league play, first against Esquimalt and later vs Mt. Douglas, allowed the team to even reach the BC AAA Tournament. This development would have been unthinkable in previous years, but reflected accurately the improved standard of several local schools and SMUS' relative lack of depth, physicality and experience.

Nonetheless, when fully rested and properly prepared, and not just trying to survive from day to day, the squad was capable of playing inspired rugby, as evidenced by a 15-5 win over eventual provincial semi-finalist Oak Bay on the annual Alumni Day showdown. In this game, a combination of opportunism, smothering defence, and a lucky bounce or two made the difference. The other two matches against Oak Bay, first in the Boot Game and then in the Howard Russell Cup final, both ended in defeat, as did Premier Series matches against GP Vanier, Shawnigan and Brentwood.

In the BC Tournament, the brutal four games in four days format proved too demanding, with the team, en route to an 11<sup>th</sup> place finish, never quite hitting top stride while splitting four matches. Not all was doom and gloom however. Rupert Common, whether playing in the back row or midfield, was a leader of skill and stature, and in fullback Andrew Cavin, already capped at National U17 level, the team had a strike runner as good as any in the province. Once over an ankle injury, fly half Alastair Crow displayed many neat touches, and showed he should be a force in his senior year. In the pack, No. 8 John Vernon and openside flanker John Tapping battled bravely against bigger, faster opponents, and had the bumps and bruises to prove it. Fortunately, some 18 players who represented the 1<sup>st</sup> XV will return for 2005-2006, including a core group of talented Grade 10s. All these players will face considerable demands, what with an overseas tour and Centenary hosting responsibilities on the cards in addition to regular league and playoff fixtures.





# Junior Girls Field Hockey



(Back Row L to R) Ryanne Johnson, Danielle Denley, Callie Waters, Charlotte Houston, Katie James, Kelly Sharp.

(middle row L to R) Mr. Hunt, Steph Bentzon, Kate Timmis, Andrea De Goede, Renee Duvénage, McKyla McIntyre.

(Front Row L to R) Otilie Short, Olivia Mueller, Jackie Carson, Christie Silver, Kathryn Wizinsky, Victoria Sapsford.



The Junior Girls Field Hockey Team spent the majority of the season developing their level of skill and knowledge for the game, while staying competitive with all other opponents. Mid-way through the season, the team participated in the ISA tournament in Vancouver and finished in 4<sup>th</sup> place, losing in penalty strokes in the final match. As for league play, the team finished a respectable 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the city behind Oak Bay.

At the Island Tournament, the team played unbelievably well. From a coaching standpoint, it was rewarding to see every player on the team play with an improved level of ability and confidence than at the beginning of the season. The results were as follows:

Lost to Mt. PervostO-1 (eventual co-winners)	
Beat Aspen Park	4-0
Lost to Cowichan	0-1
(eventual co-winners)	
Beat North Trail	5-0
Beat Vanier	1-0
Record	3-2
Total Goals	10-2

As a result, the team finished an amazing 5<sup>th</sup> Place. Had it not been for the strength of the mid-island, we would have had a solid chance of winning the Islands.

I would like to sincerely thank all the players for making the sacrifice to play on this team. I believe you learned a great deal about the game, about your teammates, and about yourself. I would like to thank my co-captains Charlotte Houston and Danielle Denley for leading the team this season. I would also like to thank our goalie Ryanne Johnson for playing goalie in what turned out to be quite a wet season. To the Grade 9's, I look forward to working again with you next season. There is still more work to be done! To the Grade 10's, I wish you all the best with your field hockey pursuits and your future senior seasons. You should be a top contending team at the AA level. Believe in yourself and be the best you can be.

- Mr. Jeffrey Hunt

# Senior Girls Field Hockey

"The strength of the pack is in the wolf, and the strength of the wolf is in the pack."

~Rudyard Kipling

The hockey team this year was a special group of individuals who all brought unique strengths to create an overwhelmingly positive sporting environment. We had some players that were relatively new to the sport and they did remarkably well considering the difficult motor skills demanded of players. The team especially appreciated the risks taken by our new goalie, Hayley Hudson, to stand in the line of fire without much time for preparation. Everyone showed remarkable skill development by the end and Hayley made some remarkable saves to push the team through to the final round of the Island Championships. It was unfortunate that, at that point in the season, the team was suffering from many injuries and was unable to push through to the provincials. However, some of the greatest moments come from the struggle and the team certainly had to fight for each success. The senior players leaving us - Susan Davis, Ellie Shortt, Megan Sharpe, Joni Lind and Julie Chun - will be dearly missed. They all leave a legacy of a high work ethic, skill and personal strength.



(Back Row L to R): Sarah Wiebe, Gabrielle Quinlan, Violetta Mueller, Hayley Hudson, Susan Davis, Felicia Chapeau, Taylor McKinnon, Ms. P. Baudon.

(Front Row L to R): Kimball Hall, Lauren Johnson, Julie Chun, Aminah Malik, Ellie Shortt, Sarah Adair, Megan Sharpe.



# Cricket



Second Row: Andrew Battershill, Michael Loomer, Andrew Horton, Robert Bell, Vincent Yang, Jaron Kropp  
Front Row: (L to R) Roy Chan, Andrea Chan, Nicholas Csomany, Nader Ahmed, Navraj Chima, Mr. David Fisher



Another exciting and memorable cricket season has come to a close. This year, some 20 players came out to bowl and bat. In spite of the fact that we were not able to play against other schools this year, the team played in a number of games against the VDCA Midweek (Pub) league teams and was very competitive in most of the games. After finishing on the wrong end in some very tight matches to start the season, the team pulled off a spectacular last ball victory against a team that had a wealth of experience compared to us. The victory was our first against a Midweek league team in two years.

Unfortunately, the Alumni Game was rained out for the second time in three years. However, our annual Clayton cup match was memorable as always. The format was eight-a-side this year with Nader Ahmed's team defeating Navraj Chima's team. Nav's team batted first and were all out for 50 led by 23 by their captain. Rohan Gowda led the charge with 5 wickets and 2 catches for Nader's side. In chasing the total, Nav's team gave a good fight by taking some early wickets, but in the end, they couldn't get Nader out, who guided his squad to victory with a team leading 10 not out.

The Staff-Student game was a fun and light-spirited game as always. The Staff batted first, and put up 113 on the board from their 20 overs, led by 25 not out from Kent Leahy-Trill. Roy Chan was the cream of the student bowlers, as he picked up a pair of wickets. In response, the students fell a little short, as they scored 95 runs led by Roy (27 not out), and Nader Ahmed (26 not out). The Staff were spurred on by some tidy bowling from Kevin Cook, and sharp fielding by Bruce Kuklinski and Ken Smith.

The team was led by consistent good showings by Nader Ahmed, Navraj Chima, Rohan Gowda, and Roy Chan. Many thanks to Mr. Ducharme for helping out with scorekeeping. This season marked the end of an era for SMUS cricket with Mr. Fisher stepping down as coach after twelve seasons. His knowledge, enthusiasm, passion, and humour for the game will be missed. Thanks for everything, Mr. Fisher.

## Howz That!!!

- Nader Ahmed (Captain) and Navraj Chima (Vice-Captain)

# Rowing

Ergrtime the  
beat go!



Back: (L to R) Brian Gislason, Robert Orr, Erik Sjulstok, Brin Porter, Maximilian Weis, Gavin Duffus, Christian Fenner, Erik Burke  
Thrid: Louis Hayes, Gillian Hayden, Jake Todd, Donata von Schack, Sam Witt, David Stewart, Stephen Dong, Liam Flannigan, Ms. Wallinga  
Second: Daniel Altman, Imran Isohmael, Evan Morgan, Andrew Sharp, Charlie Bodman, James Gardiner, Ariel Winkelmeyer, Chelsea MacLean, Nick Pauluck, Derek Stedman  
First: Alex Cecchettini, Janel Willmis, Sabrina Lueck, Roshni Veerapen, Christina Moser, Julia Gill, Cassandra Zawilski, Laura Zrenner, Angharan Wiley



Each week of the rowing season, the team would climb to the top of Mt. Tolmie and set their minds to completing eight or so hill climbs before complete exhaustion, and no one enjoyed these as much as Derek Stedman. Repetitions of jump squats followed, slowly building the amount as the weeks went by. Through this, not only did the team accomplish a rigorous physical fitness routine to further their potential out on the water, but they also developed a powerful sense of teamwork and commitment that was vital to the growth and development of the team. After a long day of classes, an intense workout doesn't always sound like the most appealing thing. But for rowers, getting out on the water with your crew is one of the most exhilarating parts of the day. We rowed on the gorge 3 times a week for 2 hours each time. Each practice the SMUS crew would occupy several Gorge boats, from singles to eights and everything in between. The Gorge is an awesome place to go rowing! To be able to row practically right into the Inner Harbour is a great experience. And of course the weather was always bright and sunny and warm...when it wasn't dark and cold and rainy.

All this training was for fitness, fun, and as preparation for various regattas at the Gorge and Elk Lake. This was when the team spirit and willpower became obvious. Cheering from crew in the boat to drive everyone of us a step further then we thought we could go, as well as great support from the spectators and team made every single one of us give our best and grow to amazing strength. The variability of rowers as well as coaches enabled great success even in boats that never practiced together. Despite partly bad weather conditions the SMUS-team showed no fear to show off its best in rain, wind and cold. This was a great season marked by crew and coaches, rewarded at regattas and team dinners. Thanks to all our coaches!

- Gavin Duffus, Robert Orr, Donata von Schack



# Junior Boys Basketball

## Team A

Once again, a late finishing rugby season hindered the competitive nature of the team in the early going. After Christmas, the team went to the ISA tournament where we placed 2<sup>nd</sup>, falling to provincially top-10 ranked St. George's in the final. This performance boosted the team's confidence as we closed the competitive gap with the rest of the league. In the city playoffs, a slow start against Belmont put us on the consolation side. We followed with a superb performance against Stelly's in the second round. In our final game of the season, Lambrick Park proved too strong despite a spirited fourth quarter comeback almost single-handedly executed by Pete Jawl. Niko Mavrikos was our hardest worker and most consistent performer this year. Yianni Mavrikos had a strong year and Ajit Singh played well inside. Newcomer Jeff Erasmus was a valuable offensive force, while Jack Chan and Po-Wei Chuang put in valuable minutes as well. Gr. 9 Chris Hawe made great improvements throughout the season and should be an impact player next year. This was a great team to coach. Despite a generally lower skill level, as a group, their positive attitude, teamwork, incredible determination and relentless work ethic allowed for great improvement and ultimately to a fine season.



Back Row (L to R): Christopher Hawe, Ajit Singh, Jeff Erasmus, Yianni Mavroks, Mathew Bosworth, Riley Gudgeon  
Front Row: Po-Wei Chuang, Ken Yim, Jack Chan, Pete Jawl, Niko Mavrikos, Tony Chuang

## Team B



# Senior Boys Basketball



Back Row: (L to R) Darius Eghdami, Jason Wong, William Gudgeon, James Furneaux, Richard Ma  
 Front Row: Alistar Crow, Gavin Waltman, Andrew Cavin, Dennis Carson, Rupert Common



It was not a banner year for the team, as an 11-17 overall record and early exit from the City Tournament would suggest.

Delays with gym construction, which limited severely proper pre season preparation, and injuries, particularly a broken hand suffered by point guard Andrew Cavin, were certainly limiting factors. However, on only a few occasions did the group really display the necessary tenacity and defensive prowess required for success.

The highlight of the season undoubtedly came in the form of a totally unexpected 64-59 league win over eventual Island champion Oak Bay. In this game, though missing Cavin, off guard Darius Eghdami, starting forward Gavin Walman and sixth man Richard Ma, the team played with amazing determination to gain a deserved victory. It was thus frustrating that, only five days later, the group, with all the injured players back in uniform, bowed out too easily to Belmont in City Tournament play.

Another exciting moment came in late January in the final of the ISA Tournament, against a useful Shawnigan side. After playing well for some 38 minutes, a late game collapse allowed the opposition to get into OT, while similar extra time miscues left the score tied at 71 with four seconds to play. Happily, Eghdami took matters into his own hands, dribbling into the frontcourt before launching an off balance three for the win.

Dennis Carson was the team's top offensive threat, with his streaky outside shooting earning him the league scoring title. Newcomer James Furneaux also displayed flashes of offensive talent, and could be a dominant performer in his senior season. Likewise, fellow Grade 11s Alastair Crow and Willie Gudgeon served notice that, with consistent floor time, they can be effective players.

Seniors Rupert Common, Jason Wong and Kurt Penner completed the squad. All three played some useful games thanks to their intelligence and work ethic.

Thanks to manager Justin McElroy and assistant coach Allister Wilmott for their contributions, and to Ivy Ho and her capable, committed band of minor officials.



# Jr. Girls Basketball



## A Team

Back Row (L to R): Mr. Gary Brooke, Katrina MacIntosh, Angie Hsieh, Diandra Barsalov, Liz Weir, Ms. Rebecca Powell  
Second Row: Ria Mrvrikos, Margaret Lapp, Lauryn Kerr, Mariel Spence, Danielle Denley



## Jr. Girls 'B' Basketball

The Junior Girls "B" Team worked hard and developed into a strong defensive team. They competed in the City League and hosted a tournament and although the team record was 0-12 the games were close and competitive. All players made enormous improvements to their game.



## Jr. Girls 'A' Basketball

**T**he junior girls had a fantastic season this year. They had a bit of a rocky start, but under the patient coaching of Mr. Gary Brooke and Rebecca Powell they all improved immensely. Throughout the season the entire team's individual skills, and team skills came a long way. As the season was drawing to an end, the girls finally proved they could finish strong to win a few very close games. In the cities they beat Claremont then lost to Oak Bay and were faced with the challenge of having to win both of their games the following day in order to advance to the Islands. They beat Lambrick Park for the first time all season by one point with only 7 players in the morning, and then faced Stelly's in the game for third place, with only 3 spots open for teams from the Lower Island. Unfortunately, however, the girls lost in overtime 41-38, despite their tremendous effort. Congrats on a great season, girls, and thanks to Mr. Brooke and Mrs. Powell for all their encouragement and support!



## B Team

Back Row: (L to R) Ms. Andrea Hlady, Stephanie Bentzon, Jacquelyn Carson, Courtney Mahrt, Terry Kho, Ellina Kim, Ms. Marlese Redding  
Front Row: Lorilee Emshey, Christine Silver, Kwang Pithayachariyakul, Victoria Sapsford, Siobhan Glen, Kathryn Wizinsky

# Sr. Girls Basketball



Back Row: (L to R) Hayley Hudson, Lauren Johnson, Tisah Tucknott, Gabrielle Quinlin, Ms. Lindsay Brooke  
Front Row: Jennifer Yan, Emily Sapsford, Sarah Adair, Vicky Ying, Susan Davis

**T**he 2004-2005 Senior Girls basketball team had a season of highs and lows. They opened play with a road trip to Salmon Arm where they finished with a record of 2-1. Although they were missing players, the girls competed hard and showed signs of potential against some very worthy opponents. An intense New Year's defensive clinic helped to bolster their skills and give them confidence to begin league play in January. All of their hard work paid off, as they challenged some of the top competition in the city and captured the ISA Tournament Gold Medal. The season highlight was the win over top-seeded Lambrick Park in their final regular season match-up. The SMUS Blue Jags finished 3rd in the Lower Island, a placement which qualified them for the Island Championships. With its first appearance back to the Island Tournament in several years, the Blue Jags looked poised to play the giant killers. Unfortunately, the team ran into some bad luck with illness and injury and could only muster a 7th place finish. However, this was a respectable finish and they represented our school like true champions. Special thanks goes to graduating players, Susan Davis and Tisah Tucknott, for demonstrating the values of hard work, leadership and teamwork throughout the 2 years with the Senior Team. Congratulations to all the girls for a fine season.



# Swimming



A small but talented group of swimmers outdid themselves this year, with terrific performances in both the Island and Provincial meets.

In the Islands, held at the Saanich Commonwealth Pool, the quintet of Stephanie Pollard, Louis Lay, Hugo Chan, Asha Benedyczak and Kelsey Guiltner combined to finish 9<sup>th</sup> out of the 28 competing schools.

Not surprisingly, Pollard (already a Nationally ranked performer) and Lay combined to capture 5 gold and 3 silver medals. Both qualified for several races at the BC meet in Richmond, although the former's Canada squad commitments kept her from attending.

At the Provincials, Lay went on to capture a gold medal in the 110m butterfly, and also reached the podium in the 100m freestyle and 200 IM.

Congratulations to all who took part.

# Athletic Banquet



# Cross Country



Back Row (L to R): Sandra Oh, Quintin Stedman, Mark Featherstonhaugh, James Furneaux, Rupert Common, Derek Stedman  
Front Row: Ms. J. Tobacco, Chris Smith, Tony Chuang, Samuel Minaker, Ryley Gudgeon, Po-Wei Chang

This year's cross country season enjoyed a quick start, with the first race being held shortly after the start of the school year. Throughout the seven league races, runners improved their stamina and personal bests and produced many commendable individual and team results. With guest appearances by the junior rugby squad and the senior and junior grass hockey teams, the SMUS squad fielded strong turnouts at every event. Races featured various challenges, acres of mud, but no race was complete without a box of Oreos at the finish line. Highlights this year included the senior boys team placing fourth at the Islands, barely missing the chance to compete at the Provincial Championships and great individual results by juniors, Derek Stedman, Po Wei and Tony Chuang, Riley Gudgeon, Tica Bengston and Sandra Oh and seniors Rupert Common, Robert Orr, Sam Minaker, Quintin Stedman, Evan Hesketh and James Furneaux. All in all, the season proved all of the members of the team to have strong commitment, a competitive drive and abundant team spirit. Thanks to Ms. Tobacco and Ms. Brooke for a successful season.



# Track and Field

The 2005 track and field team, although small in numbers, possessed a great deal of ability, potential and enthusiasm. The season's goals included personal improvement and development of novice athletes and with lots of hard work and determination, runners, jumpers, and throwers advanced their abilities and produced a variety of notable performances.

This year's junior athletes were encouraged to try new events, maintain a high level of participation and develop fundamental skills. A new concentrated jumping program was particularly successful and produced several Lower Island and Island long jump and triple jump champions. Top jumpers included Tony Chuang, Olivia Mueller, Po Wei Chuang, and Imran Ismail who was named Victoria's 2005 top male field performer. Top junior runners included Tica Bengston, Daniel Altman, Curtis Smith, Derek Stedman, Diandra Barsalou and Riley Gudgeon. As the season advanced impressive personal improvements were evident and at the final meet of the year, ten junior athletes earned much-coveted berths to the Island finals.

At the senior level, Ivy Ho and Andrea Chan and Liz Rogers demonstrated strong field performances. On the track, tremendous talent was displayed by Robert Orr, Will Gall-Tallboy and by this year's track and field team award winner, Mark Featherstonhaugh.

The coaches, Ms. Tobacco and Mrs. Powell wish to congratulate and thank all of the students who participated during the season. Well done!



Back Row: (L to R) Ms. Tobacco, Mark Featherstonhaugh, Robert Orr, Riley Gudgeon, Calvin Lin  
Middle Row: Ivy Ho, Henry Pai, Tica Bengston, Derek Stedman, Will Gall-Tallboy, Diandra Barsalou, Olivia Mueller  
Front Row: Tony Chuang, Curtis Smith, Imran Ismail, Daniel Altman, Po-wei Chuang, Andrew Chan



# Junior Girls Volleyball



Back Row (L to R): Vikcy Ying, Molly Hosie, Emily Peiffer, Jessica Harvey, Laruyn Kerr, Nicole Edgar, Mrs. Rebecca Powell  
Front Row: Surrey Lin, Jessica Qualley, Terra Barnes, Brittany Martin, Katrina Macintosh, Gloria Ng, Winnie Poon



Our Junior Girls Volleyball team made drastic improvements from our first game to the end of the season. We all enjoyed playing on this team, we learned to work well together and all became good friends. We had one extremely dedicated coach, Mrs. Powell, an encouraging, supportive manager Vicky Ying and an amazing group of talented girls. By the end of the season every single player had grown into a successful player. Our power players, Lauren, Winnie, Jess Q, and Nicole all became intimidating hitters. Our middles Diandra, Jess H, and Brittney were blocking and hitting successfully. The right side players, Molly, Gloria and Emily, were always there to pass, set and hit with ease. Finally our three setters, Katrina, Terra and Surrey all became consistent with their sets, and getting to the ball. Overall this team was hardworking, eager to learn and always striving to play their best. A big thanks to Mrs. Powell for being so inspiring, we love you!! SPANDIT'S ROCK!!

Brittany Martin and Jessica Harvey



# Senior Girls Volleyball



Back Row (L to R): Jessica Walker, Ellary Cohen, Jennifer Ed  
Sarah Brown, Alexa Treleven, Mona Niebuhr, Mrs. Becky Anderson  
Front Row: Anna Gordon, Jane Hauser, Emily Sapsford, Brittany  
Allan, Michael Strocel, Kaitlin Martin



Thanks to Mrs. Anderson's amazing coaching (on life and on the court!) the girls had an awesome season and were even able to put up a worthy fight at the Islands! Led by captains Kaitlin and Ellary, each and every girl improved greatly this season.

Our fabulous setters, Emily and Brittany, gave us perfect sets that always led to a powerful hit by Jane or Mona. Even the introduction of two new plays, the crossover and the tandem, didn't seem to faze our setters, who were able to handle anything we gave them with grace. Mikey improved her hits even more, and by the end of the season was finally able to master that "second serve"! Emily, although she didn't think it possible, consistently served almost entire games, and Jane helped with serves that made us all glad we were on *her* side of the net! Jen-a-k-a, Jen-Yan, always knew exactly where to place her hit, and by the end of the season was able to block anything that came her way. Alexa's consistent passing landed her the spot of libero, and she was able to save all of us at least once from those dreaded "bad passing days". Sarah, also known as "Noodle Arm", proved us all wrong this year. She showed us her strength in her great passing and powerful blocks. Ellary showed her passion for the game in every position she played (and that was ALL of them!). She also proved to be an amazing leader in every situation. Kaitlin was always there when someone needed covering, and had the whole back court under control. She always stayed positive and under heat always kept her cool. Mona came to us with powerful hits. She knew what she was doing already and we needn't say a thing! Brittany only had two things on her mind: boys off the court, and setting when she was on the court. (lucky for us!) She had amazing back sets and was always able to keep the right side player happy! Jess, the team manager, always kept us in line. She never let us forget what we were playing for and was awesome and keeping track of our prizes! (or sets of lines!)

All in all the girls had an amazing year filled to the brim with dancing, laughter, and great volleyball!

To our grade 11's, we know you will lead the next group of girls to victory, you are all amazing people as well as volleyball players.

To Mrs. A., we could never have had such a great season without you (P.S. - we already knew!)  
We love you all. Thank you and good night!





# Tennis



Back Row: (L to R) Louis Hayes, Konstantin Golikov, Art Pithayachariyakul, Hugo Chan, Ken Yim, Michael van der Westhuizen, Meyash Prabhu. Middle Row: Germaine Chan, Liz Weir, Emily McKenzie, Violetta Mueller, Kimbell Hall, Robert Orr, Mrs. Kuklinski. Front Row: Kwang Pithayachariyakul, Leanne Ostlund, Michelle Cheimak, Michael Loomer, Ellary Cohen, Paulina Lipska, Angie Hsieh.

The Tennis Team of 2005 was composed of an amazing group of individuals, ranging in age and ability that, with the sound coaching of fellow team member, Michael Loomer, made great strides over the course of the season. We began our season with the decision to "play to win", dedicating ourselves to training hard and playing with heart. Each practice was carefully planned and orchestrated through the combined efforts of Michael Loomer and team captain, Ellary Cohen. Under the guidance of "Drill Sergeant" Loomer, we quickly began to see steady improvement in technique resulting in the emergence of very cohesive doubles play. It was clear by the end of the first week what our main A and B boys and girls doubles teams would be. Our girls' doubles teams included the duos of Kimball Hall and Emily McKenzie, Germaine Chan and Kwang Pithayachariyakul, as well as latecomers Liz Weir and Angie Hsieh. The boys' doubles teams consisted of Michael Loomer and Michael van der Westhuizen (A doubles) and Art Pithayachariyakul and Chris Geminiano (B doubles). Louis Hayes and Ellary Cohen composed our singles, with Ellary teaming up with Robert Orr for mixed doubles. We were incredibly fortunate to have great depth this year, allowing us to develop several additional doubles teams including: Alexa Treleven and Paulina Lipska, Evgeny Aleksandrov and Konstantin Golikov, Violetta Mueller and Emily McKenzie, Leanne Ostlund and Michelle Cheimak, as well as the interchangeable Hugo Chan, Meyash Prabhu and Ken Yim. Although we did not achieve our goal of reaching the provincials, Mrs. Kuklinski, Michael, and Ellary, were incredibly proud of the good progress that was made by the team, a result of each and everyone's fine attitude, hard work, and dedication during practice and play. Michael and Ellary would also like to thank everyone for making this a great season and they wish us continued success in the year to come.

# Cycling



(L to R): Fraser Hayes, Mr. Borgerson, Christian Tipping.

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# Badminton



Back Row: Mr. Jeff Hunt, Jonathan Lee, Roy Chan, Clarence Ng, Kevin Tseng, Jimmy Tseng.  
Middle row: Megan Sharp, Jesse Wang, Nick Burnett, Howard Tseng, Dennis Lin, Henry Chen.  
Front Row L to R): Germain Chan, Surrey Lin, Winnie Poon, Jamie Sharp, Gloria Ng, Melissa Ko.

## Junior Team

We had a large group of Grade 9's and 10's compete in the city finals this year. The Grade 9 team finished in 1<sup>st</sup> Place and the Grade 10 team finished in 2<sup>nd</sup> Place. The strength of our Junior Program ensures that we will have strength in our Senior Program for years to come.

In terms of results, the Senior Badminton Team was the best team that SMUS had this school year in any sport. This in itself is simply amazing when you consider the fact that approximately 80% of the team is in Grade 9 and 10.

In league play, the team had a flawless 12-0 record, with big wins over Claremont, Mt. Doug and Oak Bay. The team then played in the Island Playoffs where, once again, the team played superbly and won the Islands for the 4<sup>th</sup> straight year.

In later April, the girls' part of the team competed in the ISA Tournament. Unfortunately, our team only had the minimum number of girls (5) playing in the tournament, so fatigue and injury were potential concerns. Nevertheless, these 5 girls played out of their skins and won the tournament, beating Crofton House in the final.

Heading into the Provincials, our team was now undefeated and our hopes were high to finish in the 'Top 8'. At the Provincials, the team was stunned by losing their first match against Vancouver College/Little Flower Academy. This put our team in a position of having to beat the #2 Seed J.N. Burnett (Richmond) in order for us to have any chance of finishing in the 'Top 8'. In perhaps one of the most unbelievable upsets in badminton history, our SMUS team beat J.N. Burnett 6 games to 5. The last match, which clinched it for us, featured Jamie Sharpe and Dennis Lin winning in mixed doubles' in front of a massive crowd of 100 spectators around the court. From there, the team rolled along losing to Eric Hamber (the eventual winners), beating Port Moody and Claremont to finish in 5<sup>th</sup> place in the Province. This result was the best in 10 years at the school, and was the second best result ever in school history.

The Provincials were hosted by our school and were called "the best Badminton Provincials ever". I would like to thank my badminton committee, the volunteers, the students and staff of the school for making the tournament run so smoothly. I thank all the athletes on the team and I look forward to further success next year. Goodbye to my Grade 12's: Howard Tseng, Clarence Ng, Roy Chan, Jonathan Lee, Megan Sharpe and Melissa Ko - I appreciate all your commitment and dedication. See the rest of you next year!

Jeff Hunt

# Golf



Back Row: (L to R) Dylan Callow, Nick Burnett, Justin Courtnall, Jordan Connell, Mr. McIntyre  
Front Row: Peter Jawl, Rebecca Minaker, McKyla McIntyre, Sam Minaker. Missing from photo: Eddie Gudewill.

The 2005 Golf season was one of near misses. In the ISA Tournament a team made up almost entirely of new players finished in the middle of the pack. In the Lower Island Tournament things improved and we were able to finish second and qualify for the Island Tournament. At the Island Tournament the team placed third and missed going to the Provincial Tournament by a mere three strokes. Fortunately all of the team members will be back next year so we should be able to accomplish more. To all players I say thank you and well done.

# Junior Girls Soccer



## A team



Back Row: Ryanne Johnson, Angle Hsieh, Allie Compton, Courtney Mahrt, Slobhan Glen, Lauren Kerr, Mariel Spence, Mr. Leggatt  
Front Row: Cassandra Zawilski, Nicole Cook, Cassandra Santilli-Giza, Katie James, Margaret Lapp, Ria Mavrikos, Michyla McIntyre.  
Missing: Charlotte Houston, Liz Weir, Jamie Sharp, Victoria Sapsford.  
(Assistant Coach) Kelly Nicholson



The season began with great promise, a team composed of primarily returning grade 10's with considerable skill. The goal for the season was to instill confidence in the team's ability to compete with teams that were perceived to be the best in the city. The city league consisted of two pools, resulting in only five league games. In an early season game against Lambrick Park, a come from behind 3 - 3 draw provided the boost in confidence. This was followed by an identical result against city favourite, Oak Bay, in a truly exciting match. The girls earned an undefeated season with a record of 3-0-2, finishing second, only to Oak Bay. The first round of the playoffs matched us against Claremont, a very tight and disciplined squad. A back and forth battle ended with a late goal for Claremont and a 2 - 1 loss. This was an earlier than expected and very disappointing loss for our girls, yet they must hold their heads high, as Claremont went on to win the City and Island Championships. The girls improved their team play and gathered confidence throughout the short season and this garners well for the next two years at the senior level.

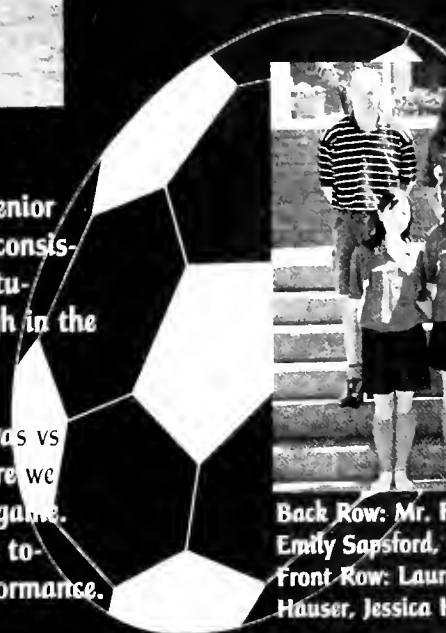


# Senior Girls Soccer



This was a rebuilding year for the Senior Girls soccer team. Our play was inconsistent with many close games. Unfortunately, we did not finish high enough in the league to go to Islands this year.

Our best and most inspiring game was vs Brentwood on Alumni Weekend where we tied 1-1 in a hard fought, exciting game. This was where the team truly came together and put on an inspiring performance.



Back Row: Mr. Farish, Lauren Johnson, Susan Davis, Anna Cordon, Emily Sapsford, Stephanie Shergold, Mrs. Shergold  
Front Row: Laura Faryna, Allison Archibald, Gillian Hayden, Jane Hauser, Jessica Hopkins, Jont Lind, Felicia Chapheau

At the end of the season we hosted the ISA tournament in which we combined the senior and junior teams. We finished the tournament with 2 wins and 2 losses. The games were incredibly close and the team spirit was awesome.

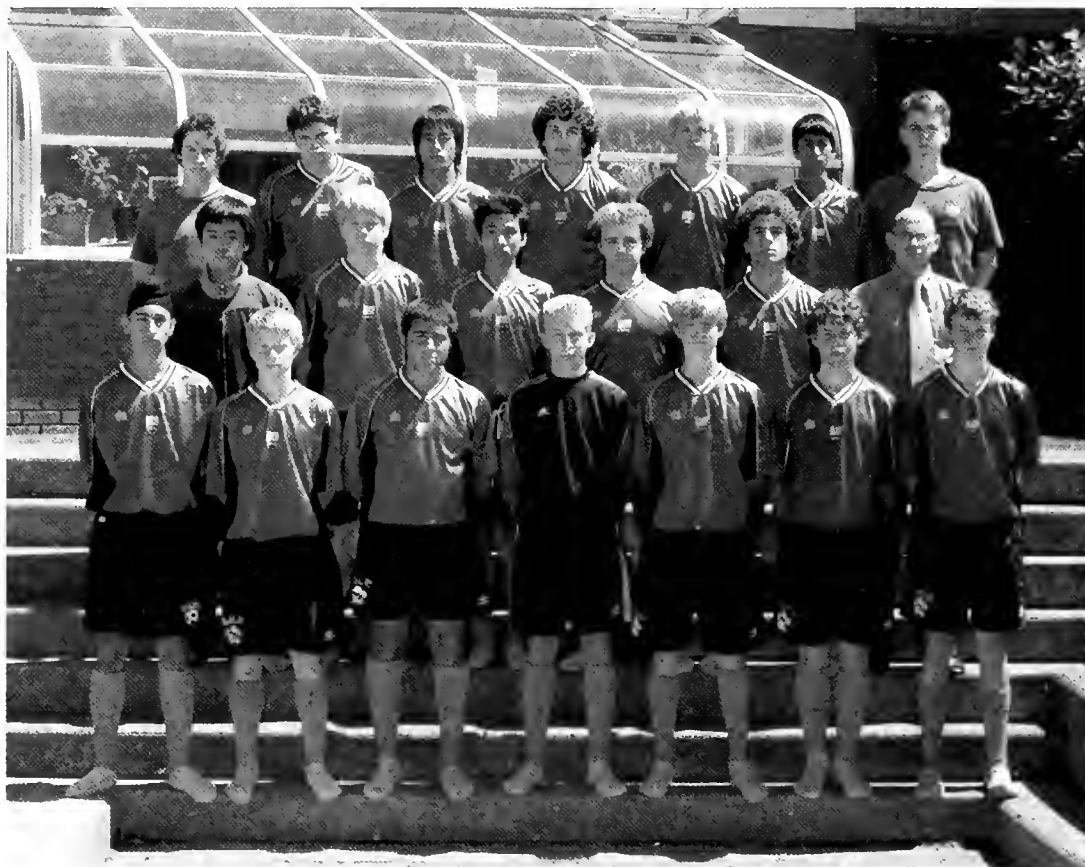
Craig, Steph and I would like to thank all the girls for their undying spirit, hard tackles, great goals, dedication, and many laughs. Best wishes to the grads - we hope you continue to play for many years to come.

Wendy Shergold  
Craig Farish  
Stephanie Shergold





# Junior Boys Soccer



Back Row (L to R): Sam Skulsky, Dave Stewart, Kyu Young Lee, Yianni Mavrikos, Ben Cole, Jason Dhillon, Michael van der Westhuizen.

Middle Row: Benson Ling, Sean Godwin, Ravin Song, Lucas Parker, Niko Mavrikos, Mr. Kerr.

Front Row: Jag Dhariwal, Nick Burnett, Pete Jawl, Ellis Gray, Craig Gornan, Shane Keepence, Dan Dale.

Missing: Kevin O'Riordan, Jordan Ofiesh, Mr. Cordle.



This year's Junior Boys' squad provided the most successful season in SMUS history. With a very skilled and dedicated core of players they suffered only one loss, the opening game of the season after returning from March Break. A very potent offense and a stingy defense resulted in domination during league play and in the run to the Island Championship. The squad defeated Spectrum 5-1 in the City Championship and dispatched Nanaimo's Dover Bay 4-0 in the Island Championship.

This year's team was strong in every position and had several key support players, who would have been starters any other year. All players contributed equally to the team's performance. With many players moving on to the Senior squad in the fall, the Junior team will be rebuilding next year. However, the future looks bright for SMUS soccer.

Congratulations to all for the very successful and memorable season.  
- Steven Kerr



Shane Keepence proves that having exciting hair doesn't necessarily make the opposing player better.



Game face on!



It's up to you, buddy!

# Senior Boys Soccer



Dominik Rozwadowski running with the ball in a match against Stelly's High school.



Back Row (L to R): Mr. Leggat, Mark Featherstonhaugh, Jacob Keller, Kurt Penner, Ryan Onasick, Taylor Kipp, Mr. Kerr.  
Middle Row: Justin McElroy, Andrew Cavin, Jesse Margoulus, Martin Schleyer, Phil James, David Heffernan, Alastair Crow.  
Front Row: Jason Zapantis, Aidan MacInnis, Dominik Rozwadowski, Gavin Walman, Chris MacCarthy, Nobu Miyoshi, Charlie Jung.



Jason Zapantis challenging the ball.



Martin Schleyer placing a Cross.

The Senior Boys' Soccer team enjoyed a very successful season and all players should be very proud of the results achieved. The league play demonstrated the parity between teams, with only three points separating the 2<sup>nd</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> positions. The team finished fifth and played in the Colonist Shield playoffs, winning the Shield in a very inspired game over Mt Doug. Dom Rozwadowski provided the offensive spark in the game and Gavin Walman made some amazing saves to secure the win. At the Island playoffs, the team continued the inspired performance, and won their pool, advancing to the final only to lose to their nemesis Lambrick. At the AA Provincials, we were once again placed in the Pool of Death, finishing third and eventually placing 11<sup>th</sup>. The finish to the season was even more noteworthy as they played without the spark and leadership of Andrew Cavin. Jakob Keller and Alastair Crow were the two leading goal scorers for the team and Jason Zapantis, Martin Schleyer and Dave Heffernan provided the defensive leadership. Dave should also be recognized for his selection as the team's MVP at the ISA Tournament, and his selection to the Commissioner's Team at the Provincial Championships. Several grade 11's showed tremendous development over the season, Mark Featherstonhaugh, Charlie Jung, and Jesse Margolus. With a strong core of returning players, including Gavin Walman and Aidan MacInnis as well as a skilled group moving up from the Junior Boys' team, Senior Boys' soccer can look forward to another fine season next year. - Peter Leggat



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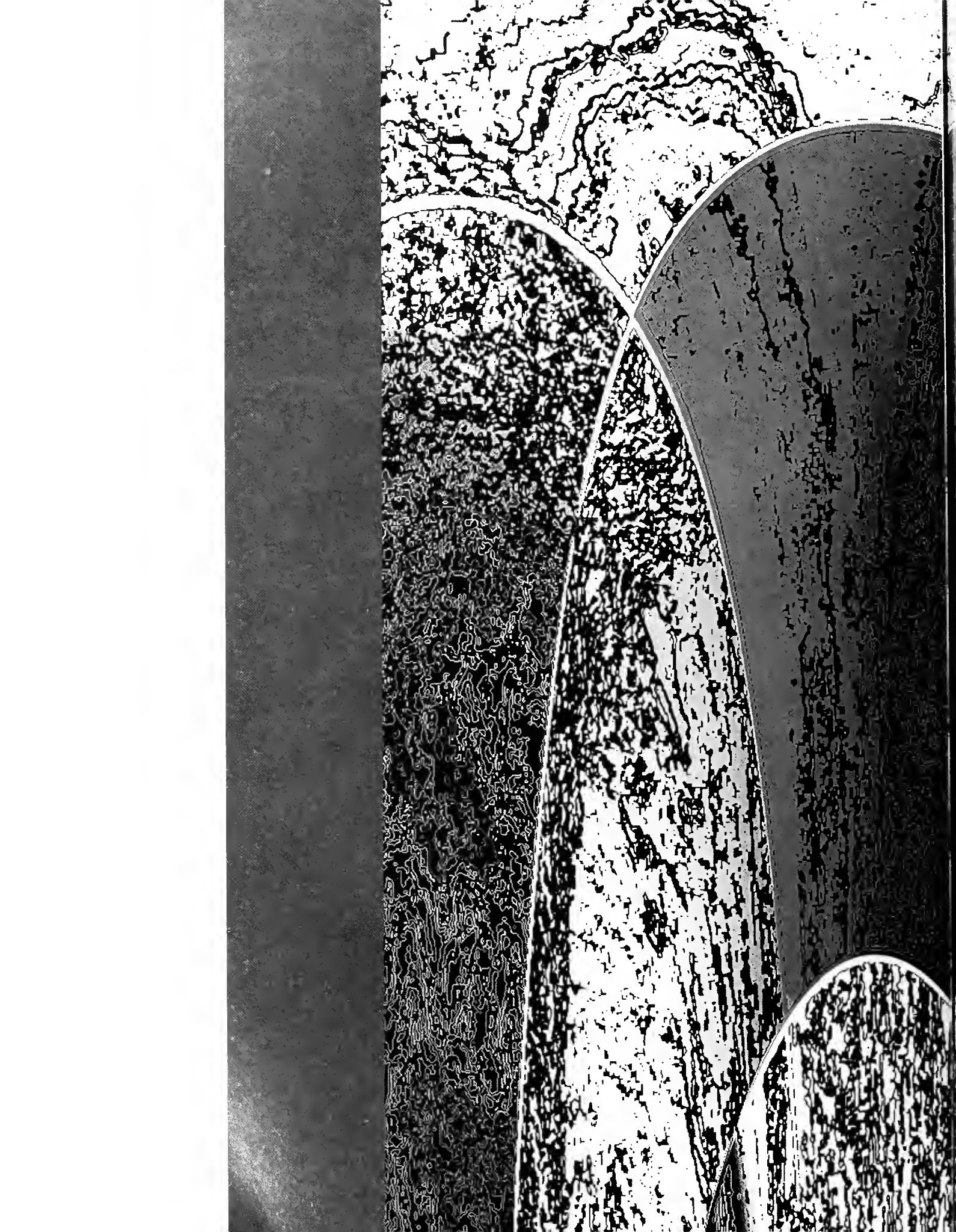
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# Fine Arts



# Les Mis



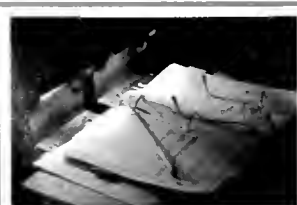
Les Miserables. The barricade squeaked, cast members lost their voices, no one could remember their lines, feet were sore, heads were throbbing, everybody shouted all the time and yet somehow we had a wonderful time. Everything seemed to pull together at the last second to produce a wonderful show for all to be proud of. To those of you who took part, thank-you.



Revolutionaries armed with pebbles and fake cigarettes.



iambic pentameter? What is this iambic pentameter you speak of?





"You are all self..self-indulgent children!!!"



The only "good guys" that managed to live through the musical.



Valjean, I love it. I am actually going to murder you!!



The barricade that three people managed to climb over in the span of five minutes.



Who am I?? Rhetorical questions?! 24601?



High fashion at its best.





# Les Misérables

## Les Misérables



*All the forces in the world are not so powerful as an idea whose time has come.*  
-Victor Hugo





*Acting is not a state of being...but a state of appearing to be. You can't be eight times a week without going stark staring mad. You've got to be in control.*  
*-Noel Coward*



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### Heartbeep

-- David Lang

In a circle people talk  
lung cancer and  
death

They present  
their numbers and  
statistics  
hand papers round  
true as the  
bible is true

We're atheists  
someone mutters  
and we laugh together  
a nervous hack

We don't believe in god  
we don't believe in numbers  
anymore

In front of us a  
singer taps her  
tambourine  
and makes us  
clap to "Everything's  
gonna be alright"

She doesn't know  
what it's like  
to stuff only one side  
of her bra  
the way Auntie Peggy does  
every  
morning

Doesn't know how  
it feels to be  
kept alive by a  
machine run by  
people who think  
that's what we want

Lit

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Poetry

### Bare stage

-- Elizabeth Humphries

I went to the theatre  
to feel the heat of the lights again.  
I stared at the bare stage and  
fell asleep to the sound of heavy-duty  
vacuums  
and lighting cues.

I could smell  
the pancake makeup,  
see phantom shadows  
waltz across the stage,  
and feel the fabric of the costumes  
brush against my face—  
taste sweet sweat,  
hear the haunting overture.

I breathed deeply,  
gripping the seat  
But when I opened my eyes  
there was nothing.  
The deep red curtain was down.

### Fourteen

— Roshni Veerapen

My brother pastes angry words  
in gothic black and red  
on his two thousand dollar guitar.  
And the same words  
on his computer screen,  
math binder,  
table lamp.  
He has a poster that reads  
"Jokes for Potheads"  
and a single  
marijuana leaf that shines  
under a black light.

He lines shot glasses  
on his amplifier,  
each one exactly the same.  
He boasts about booze, the  
windows he has broken with his fists,  
about ambulances and  
running from cops.  
He attaches bolts to his door,  
hangs dirty laundry on his pull-up bar,  
swears at my parents.  
But we  
ignore the cigarette burns  
on the carpet, the broken glass  
under his desk.  
We say nothing  
when he threatens to run away,  
afraid he might change his mind.



# Our Readers!

Hearsay

—Alex Bridgeman

He killed a cat  
they said  
not out of hate  
more sympathy  
grabbing by the tail  
like an  
Olympic hammer  
and whirling it  
round and round  
until his grip slipped  
and black and white  
through the air  
it flew  
off the bridge onto the rocks below.

He wasn't alone  
either  
two maybe three  
others watched  
like leaves in a gutter  
silent, out of place.  
They said  
he killed a cat  
and I believe them.

My Coat

- Dave Heffernan

The coat I wear  
has three colours:  
black and white on the outside  
with a bright green lining.

I wear it the back of my class  
as I stare blankly  
at the white plaster wall.

I wear it at lunch  
and between classes  
to keep out the cold.  
I even wear it on  
hot summer days.  
I wear it in my house  
and when I sleep.  
everyone sees me  
black and white.

People don't see  
the soft green lining  
that warms my skin.  
Green is my favourite colour  
but I'm told it's too  
ugly to wear.

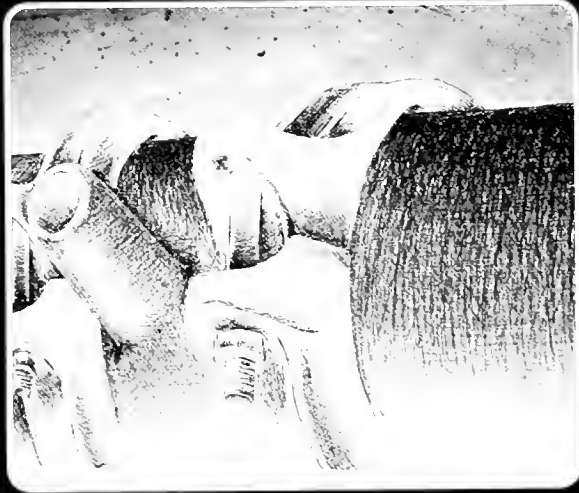
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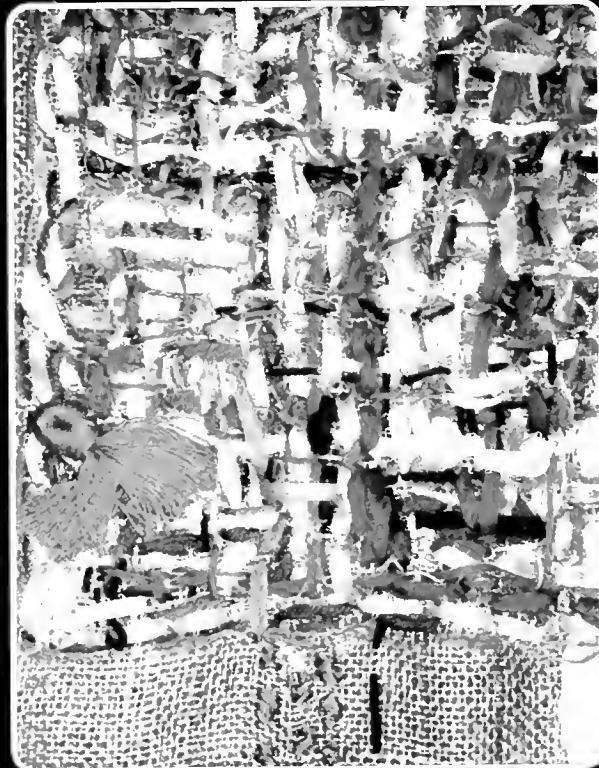
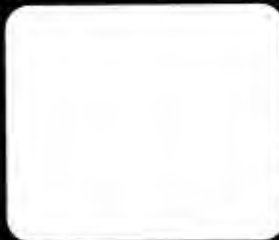
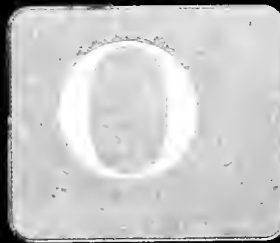
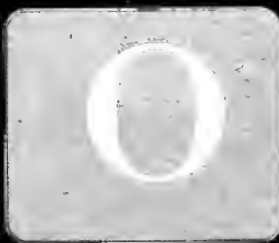
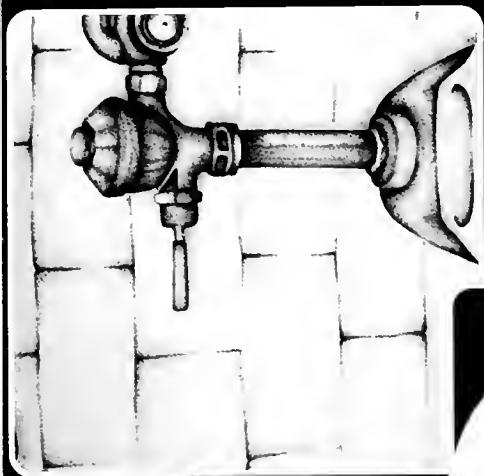






*"I found that it wasn't so  
oddball to like music and  
poetry and visual arts,  
they're kindred spirits."  
J. Carter Brown*





# Recitations

Poetry

Dramatic  
Monologue

High School  
Poetry



The annual S.M.U.S. Recitation Evening was held on Tuesday, February 22nd. Students from grades 9 through 12 performed various recitations including poetry, dramatic and comic monologues, as well as international recitations. The Copeland Theatre was overflowing with a record crowd who enjoyed superb performances by all 24 finalists. The judges for the evening were: Lina de Guevara, a professional actor and director; Dave Mathers, an English teacher from Vic High; and Lynford Smith, former SMUS chaplain and teacher. The winners are as follows:

**Best Overall & People's Choice Award – Justin McElroy (Gr.12)**

**1<sup>st</sup> place Sr. Poetry – Julia Gill (Gr.11)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place Sr. Poetry – Susan Davis (Gr.12)**

**1<sup>st</sup> place Sr. Recitation – Aminah Malik (Gr. 11)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place Sr. Recitation – Dan Christensen (Gr.11)**

**1<sup>st</sup> place Jr. Poetry – Jennifer Rao (Gr.9)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place Jr. Poetry – Callie Waters (Gr.10)**

**1<sup>st</sup> place Jr. Recitations – Kelly Sharp (Gr.10)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place Jr. Recitations – Rachel Jewell (Gr.10)**

For those of you who missed this year's Recitation Evening, make sure you don't miss out on this great event next year!

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Computer games don't affect kids, I mean if Pac Man affected us as kids, we'd all be running around in darkened rooms, munching pills and listening to repetitive music.

- Marcus Brigstocke

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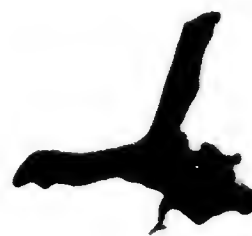
Making music should not be left to the professionals.

-Michelle Shocked





# SIC ATTENTION



# Strings



# Strings 10



# Strings 11



At the beginning of term two, the St. Michael's University School String Orchestra was presented with a six-page work by Vaughan Williams. It was entitled "Fantasia on a Theme by Thomas Tallis" and it was to be played at the Canadian National Musicfest in Richmond, BC by some 93 eager students. After countless Tuesday, Friday, and Sunday rehearsals, the string orchestra was ready to take the ferry over to impress the adjudicators. They arrived loud but prepared. Stellar solo performances by Nick Csomany, Tisah Tucknott, Navraj Chima, and Evan Hesketh put another gold in Ms. Donna Williams' trophy case. It was a fine way to end what was another spectacular year for the strings program.

- Christopher Burnett



# Strings 12



Music is the  
art which is  
most nigh to  
tears and  
memory.





You can never get silence anywhere nowadays, have you noticed?



This was another busy year for students in the **Senior School Band Programme**. Having moved temporarily from the portable in December 2003 to the Middle School, the band programme moved again in September 2004 into the tuckshop where we had classes for the next 3 months. Finally the day arrived and the **Brass Ensemble** played at the opening of our new music teaching Centre **Schaffter Hall**. **Remembrance Day** featured trumpeter **Ellis Gray** playing the "Last Post" and "Reveille". The **Small Ensembles Concert**, which was held at the **Victoria Conservatory of Music** featured among other groups the **Brass Ensemble**, **Flute Ensemble** (under the direction of **Hans Boellaard**), **Stage Band** and **Jazz Band**. Christmas soon followed with the **Brass Ensemble** participating in the **Carol Service**. During first term, auditions for "**Les Miserables**" began with rehearsals following shortly thereafter. Second term then opened with several band students coming together with string students to form and rehearse the **Pit**

**Orchestra** for "**Les Miserables**". In January, our **Large Ensembles Concert** with the students from the strings and choir programmes was held at the **University of Victoria**. Several of the band students also played with the **Senior School Orchestra**, under the direction of **Donna Williams**. And who will ever forget faculty members **Kevin Cook** and **Peter McLeod** as "**Shrek**" and his "**donkey**" dancing to the music of the **Grade 10 Concert Band**. "**Les Miserables**" under the baton of **John Reid** opened in March to rave reviews at the **McPherson Playhouse**.

The **Honour Band**, an extra curricular ensemble which focuses on more challenging material, then begun evening rehearsals in earnest. The goal was to participate at the "nationals" - **MusicFest Canada**, which this year was held in Richmond in May. Four judges from Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia adjudicated the **Honour Band**. The band was awarded "**Silver**" as a result. The **Flute Ensemble** also participated in the **Greater Victoria Performing Arts Festival**. Our **Spring Band Concert** at the **University of Victoria** in April featured the **Middle School Honour Band** conducted by **Ian Farish**, the **Flute Ensemble**, the **Grade 9 Concert Band**, **Grade 10 Concert Band** and **Senior Concert Band** conducted by **John Reid**. The concert included **Heather Buckingham** dancing to the "Emerald Isle", trumpet trio **Mark Bazett**, **Jonathan Effa** and **Ellis Gray** in "**Bugler's Holiday**". The concert closed with a musical tribute to **Tony**

## Honour Band

**Cordle** who retires in 2005. **Tony Cordle** sang two songs accompanied by **John Reid** on piano with a backing combo and two songs accompanied by the **Senior Concert Band**. The

final song "**You Raise Me Up**" generated a standing ovation for a man, much loved by both students and adults alike. A video clip of **Tony Cordle** singing "**Island in the Sun**" can be seen on the **SMUS Web Page** (SMUS Review April 2005).

Members of the **Orchestra** accompanied soloists **Jordan Ofiesh**, **Kevin O'Riordan**, **Yoon Ji Kim**, **Rachael Jewell** and **Elizabeth Humphries** in the **Concerto Concert** at the **University of Victoria**. **Ellis Gray** provided the trumpet obligato at the **Alumni Service**, and the year wrapped up with the **Stage Band** playing at the **Evening of Jazz**, which also featured the **Middle School Jazz Band**, **Vocal Jazz Ensemble** and **Senior Jazz Band**. **Hugh Fraser** conducted the latter.



# Jazz Band

"I'm saying: to be continued, until we meet again. Meanwhile, keep on listening and tapping your feet."  
-Count Basie





# Vocal Jazz

In May, the vocal jazz ensemble had the privilege of attending Musicfest Canada, which was held in Richmond, BC. Sixteen singers and the jazz combo performed in front of a nationally renowned panel of judges, fully impressing them. Robert Orr, a tenor in the ensemble, received an honour award for his remarkable scat solo in one of the group's favourite songs; "Blue Train". After all the early mornings and Monday night rehearsals, Donna Williams and the ensemble were proud

to bring home a silver award; another well deserved plaque to be hung in Schaffter Hall.

- Tisah Tucknott







# Choir

Kick back and relax; but don't stop singing



# Chamber Choir

With 27 outstanding singers from Grades 9-12 in the ensemble in September, it promised to be a great

year for this young group. The choir sang the opening piece at the school's Remembrance Day Service, at the opening of the new Schaffter Hall, and performed at the Ensemble Concert and the Carol Service in December. In April the choir competed at the West Coast Choral Festival and won a recommendation to sing at Musicfest in May. In between they learned all the music for a full Choral Evensong at Christ Church Cathedral with the St. Christopher Singers, and ended the year by performing at the Final All School's Choral Concert at St. Andrew's Cathedral. I would like to thank each and every singer for the chal-

lenges they gave me, and for their dedication to their choir all year.

Madeleine Humer



# Ladies Choir

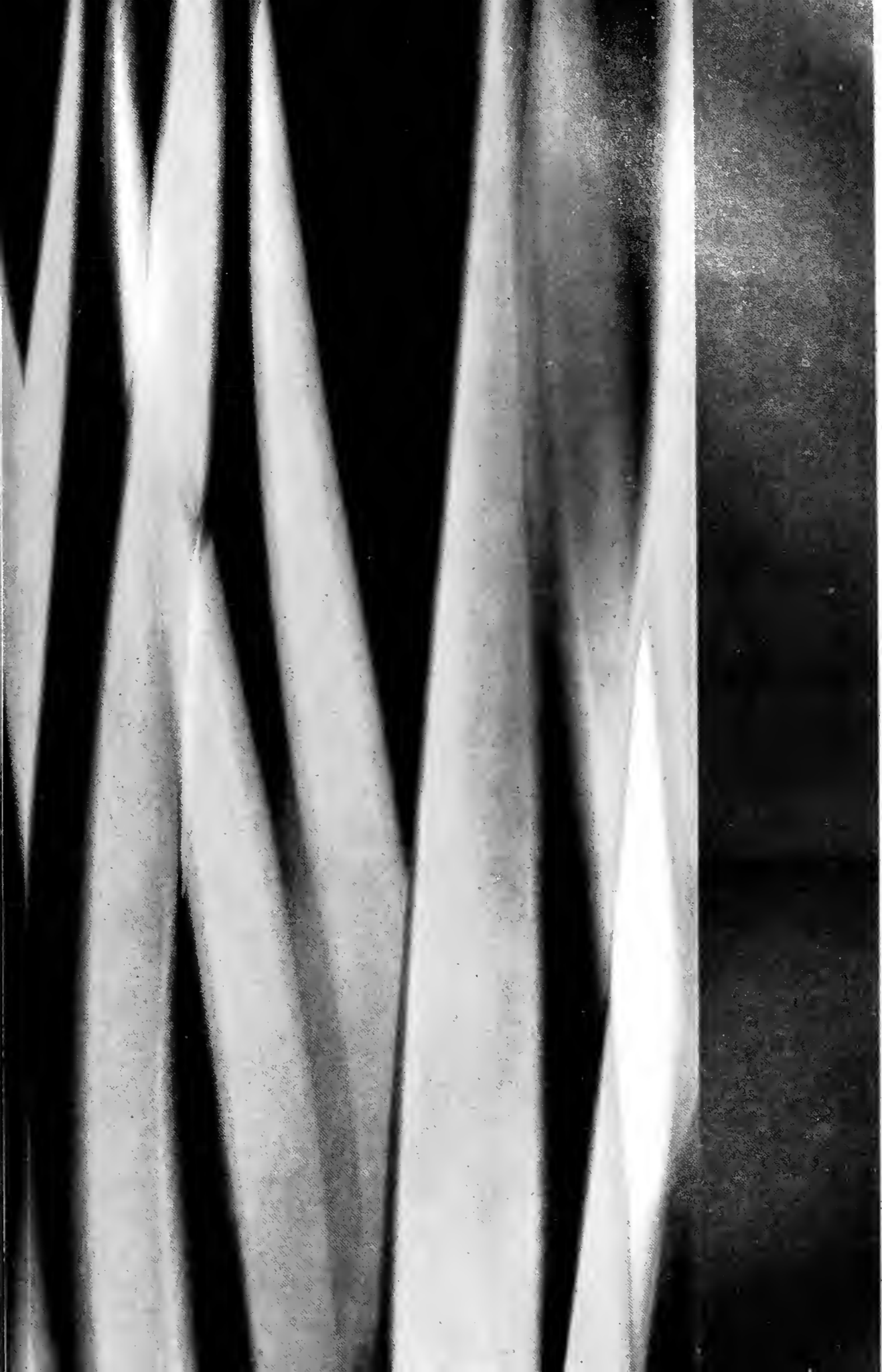
This is only the second year we have enjoyed working in this little singing group. This year there were 12 interested singers who happily arrived very early on Monday mornings and stayed late on Wednesday evenings to explore the wonderful world of songs for ladies voices. There were some interesting pieces of music that were renamed because of their content, and I know I had a wonderful year with these fun young women, culminating in a great performance at the final choral concert of the year. Many thanks to each of you for your enthusiasm and determination!

Madeleine Humer





# Boat'ding







# BARN

For Barnacle House, it was a very busy and exciting year. We had some good laughs over the year and most of us stayed out of trouble. The "Barns" certainly have made tons of great friends with bonding that will last a life time. We have shown a superb athleticism during house games -especially House Olympics. Way to devastate Harvey and Bolton on tug-o-wars. Go Blue Devils! Though Harvey might have taken the title from us by only four points, we got them back by stealing the banners of all other five houses. Mrs. Jackson's baked treats and ice cream always helped us accelerate throughout the games. The people in the house also created the best memories, weather it's the Gr. 11's walking around the house drawing inappropriate pictures on people's bodies or the crazy Germans: Jan, Christ, and Martin pulling their pranks. During the day time, James's music crushed the walls, and on house dinner at Pounders, we rampaged the house with Alex Lo's 40 pound meat (or something like that. I have no sense of number. But it was A LOT.). There also were little guys like Stewart or Dave who thought they were seniors and always stayed late in the foyer. Friendly guys like Stevey, Ian, and Tim were very easy going and nice to talk to. And there were just awesome guys like our future Head Boy Dave, and Erik. But we would not have made it this far without help from our house parents: Mr. Jackson with his all sorts of cool toys (and of course his upgraded security cameras). Mrs. Jackson's warm care, Mr. Franklin's math session help and guitar, and Dom's lame teen-talk. Half way through the year we had to wish the best luck to James who left to Australia for his medical career but soon his shoes were filled with Jamie the soccer man. It has been an awesome year. Good luck next year barns. We are the best house.

- Evgeny Aleksandrov, Head of House





# Bolton Penguins



Boarding was the same as ever this year, except for a few details. As always, the "Gryffindor" of SMUS boarding houses (Bolton, naturally) was host to a few new faces. Fresh on to the scene was the man from Chi-town, Alex "too cool for school" Dalton, with his crew of mischievous grade 11's. The second floor saw more shaving cream than Jacob Keller sees hair mousse, and there were more water fights throughout the year, than "Lacoste" polo shirts in Max's closet. The Lin duo had some rowdy neighbors in the likes of Yoshi "I refuse to conform" Whittington and Sam "I work out" Minaker. G-man Butler soon had a room to himself, and Howard Tseng lost a lot of sleep while Kevin "Hulo" Hur was up late at night in front of a glowing screen. Kenny and Tim had a room that smelt like roses, and the scent was a welcoming breeze to the Buds of the second floor. With the help of the youngest Tseng brother, Jimmy, Horace patrolled the third floor with an iron fist. Roommates Johnny lee and Kevin Chang did their thang while J-Kropp and Albert sat in silence at the end of the hall, in apprehension of the adjacent Looming Presence. The grade 8's spent most of the year waking up Darius, and paying the consequences. The bottom floor was host to many interesting characters. Herman lurked at every corner, never missing an opportunity to indulge in popcorn, courtesy of L.Brooke. Robert Bell owes the equivalent of Fort Knox's gold in I.O.U.'s to the office, and its been proven that Tommy Fong and Benson = Ipod. Arthur was mistaken for 50 cent on various occasions and Myung Hwan could be seen all year doing pushups as punishment for late sign in. Andrew Chen was always in the gym and Wei Wei always got his way way. In addition to being the Ron Artest of house games, Rupert was sarcastic, and consistently forgot about prefect meetings. His roommate Darius, the Head of the Hizzle, spent more time on the phone then he did shaving his beard. It seems that Harvey found the right "tools" to win house games this year, we guess the dynasty had to come to a conclusion, much like the epic house parenting careers of the infamous, the magnificent, the unbelievable, the all knowing...The Camerons. They have left their mark, and will not be soon forgotten. Thanks to Mrs. Cameron for being an amazing person, and Mr. Cameron, for his smooth captaincy of the Bolton ship. To the assistant house parents, Mr. Common, Mr. Culham, Mr. Plater and Mr. Bateman, you were the backbone of the successful year. We're out like the cyst from Plater's dome.



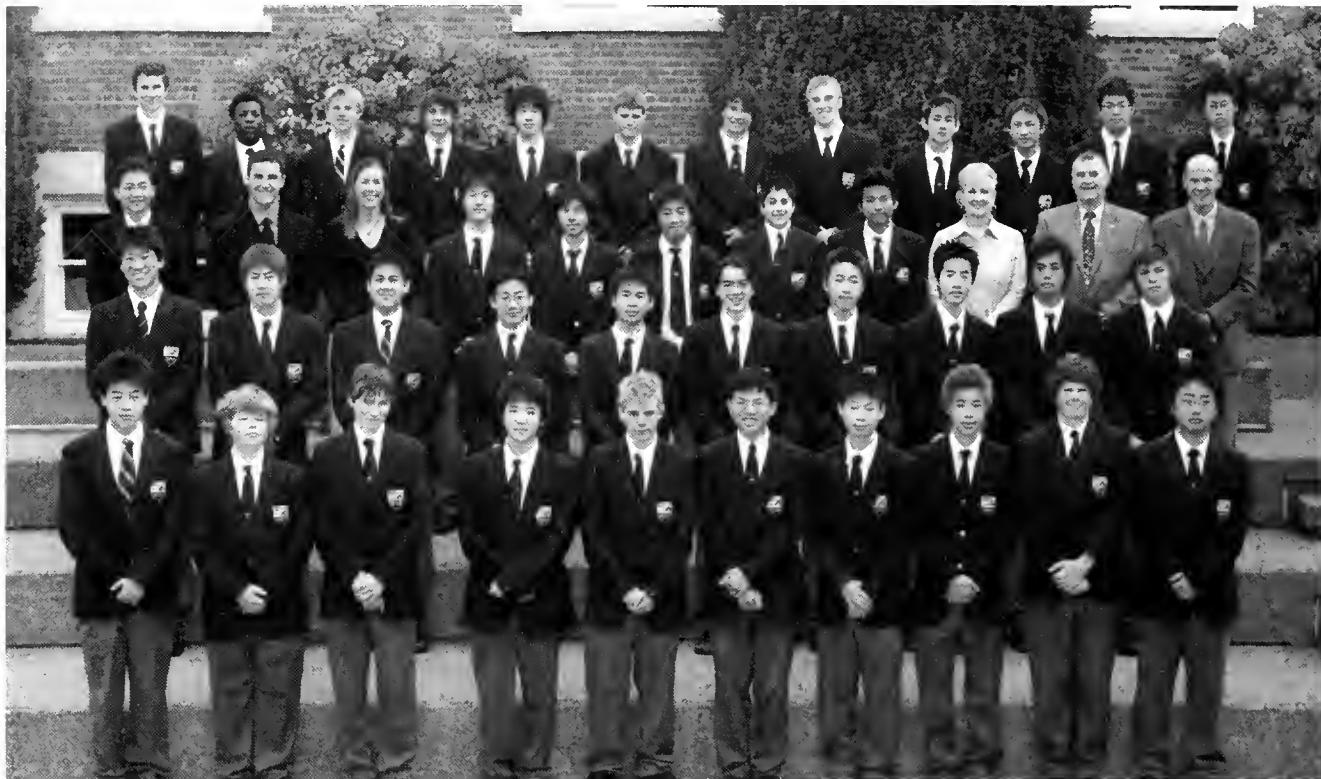
Peace out,  
Sincerely  
Darius and Rupert.



# Bolton Buds



# Harvey House



This year, Harvey House became a little stricter due to Mr. Humphries's expectations plus Mr. Farish's "Eagle Eyes" (From Walker). It meant "No more soccer at 2AM". However, they were the ones who truly cared about us when we were in trouble. I bet because of Mr. H, our kids' average and class attendance went up at least 10%. Mr. Yan, it was nice of you that you gave up your time every night to discuss our personal problems.

So, Mr. Anderson is going to have a boy (Richard's prediction) or a girl (Dan's prediction) this June. It's too bad that Andersons are moving to Timmis House next year. We will miss you, my Harvey grads and I promise you that we will come back for your kid.

Losing Peter Erickson and Andrew Bimm was a really disappointing moment for our house this year. Although they made regretful mistakes, they quickly rebounded and we wish them the best of luck.

The innovative look of our house with its new fancy common room plus the laundry and infirmary under our house will be very exciting to see next year. It means no more walking all the way down the field and Harvey boys don't have to show other girls their boxers.

As I am writing this, Harvey House is leading the house games and we will keep this till the end, hopefully. Bolton: you are a little rough but we are rougher, we got Brace. Barnacle: you better keep that chicken in the cage, or else.... We've fought hard and the unity and the teamwork have improved a lot.

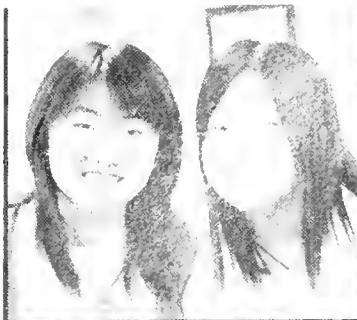
The third floor, also known as "the nursery," is the home of gr. 8 and 9s plus Mini. Not many things to talk about with this floor. Everyone goes to bed by 10 o'clock.

The second floor, also known as "Nobu and Kevin's restaurant", is where Harvey boys fed themselves after midnight. This is the place where Harvey soccer and Halo team lives. They play and they study hard. The first floor, "the unlucky floor," is the floor where most of Harvey's punishments landed this year. We tried our best to keep up with other floors, but we just couldn't. This is the floor where all the rugby players live[d].

Captain Harvey took care of us all this year and I thank him for that. We've taken special care to uphold Harvey traditions. I wish everyone good luck for next year. Vivat!

Win together, lose together,  
play together,  
stay together.





# Symons says Superstars

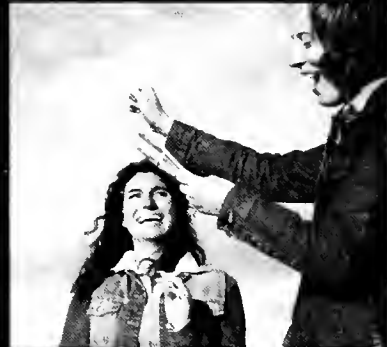
Another crazy year in Symons. Girls, you have proven that your style, humour, strength, and huge amounts of spirit will get you wherever you want to be! Destined for greatness! This has been a year of great team spirit, will power and fun - whether you decided to play wild pranks on your Harvey brothers (who unfortunately were helpless to resist your charms, and therefore could not even fight back and revenge themselves properly for switched uniforms and various other strange adjustments to their environment) or you ran off with the Barnacle chicken. Nothing they could do about that either - girls gone wild! In the worst case it is going to be solved in a real water fight, man against woman.

You took your way from last place in house games all the way to the front, all the way to the fifth house cup in a row. Your amazing skills range from smashing volleyballs into a group of Winslow girls to such sensitivity as catching raw eggs at full speed with a grace that any baseball player dreams of! And if you cannot play the game, pretend you do and look scary.

Since physical exercise is known to be our great strength I should probably say something about its source. Our secret is not only a lot of humour and enjoyment of the events - it's food! Symons house revolves around food. I can remember occasions where I have been in tears laughing about our cooking skills but the outcome has always been fabulous, delicious and truly Symons.

This was the last year, not only for our grads but also for half of our House parents. The Forbes' as well as Ms. Parker will be leaving. They have not only influenced our great fashion sense but also made us feel at home and helped us to deal with some of the challenges that we encountered. Without both of them Symons house is facing a great loss. They mean so much to all of us and even though you girls will keep up the spirit, it will not be the same. Good luck Symons Superstars, stay the way you are. this has been a great year!!

- Donata Von Schack, Head of House



I wonder who's on the phone?



Alice and Katie. Smile :)



Really? That's shocking!





# Symon



... all the  
laughter and  
tears...



"People  
come and  
go, but  
memories  
live on  
forever."



"Coming together is a  
beginning, staying to-  
gether is progress, and  
working together is  
success."





# Timmis



During every House Game, or just when we felt like it, you could hear us chanting from miles away: "Timmis is what? RED HOT. Timmis is what? RED HOT. Timmis is R-E-D red H-O-T, we're number 1 as you can see/ We're good/ You know it/ We're here to show it. If what you see is what you get/then you ain't seen nothin' yet/Hey, Hey Timmis/Hey Hey Hey Timmis. WOOHHHH!"

Let's start off with the bad news. Mrs. Hyde-Lay is leaving her House Parent position after 14 long years, and almost 500 teenage girls. She helped every single one of us out with any problems we could come up with (and we were good at coming up with a lot). We are also losing our Junior House Parent Jasmin Jackson to who knows where, and our Assistant House Parent Wendy Shergold to Bolton. You boys better be nice to her, or we're going to come steal her back! And her Banana Bread! And the PENGUIN! Ms. Brooke shall be the only one left, but she'll still have her popcorn.

Timmis, being the only house with gr.8 girls, got to shove them all on third floor, with Maryn and Danielle. I'm sure they enjoyed it with all the gr.8s running around screaming!!! Second Floor got to be the host of many grades and my Pink Room. But it's ok, Johanna and Liz made up for the noise loss by talking on the phone until midnight in the hall. First Floor, we have Maryam who taught us a lot about anime. It's sad that so many girls and their personalities are leaving this year, but I'm sure we'll have some new personalities to get used to next year.

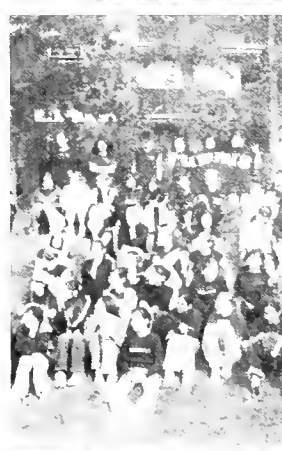
As usual, Timmis lost the Tug-of-War to Symons AND Winslow at house games this year, we tried to fatten ourselves up with Family Time, but apparently, we did not succeed. Although we did kick everyone's ass at the Android Relay, we must just be better at dressing and un-dressing, and swallowing Jello. I don't think Timmis has a shot at winning the House Cup, but we should get something for Team Spirit. Kim and Anna have always been out cheering everyone on in their creative outfits; but even the rest of the house has major spirit.

However, our construction workers were not so hot. The Noise at 6:30 in the morning made sure that all the prefects with a million and twelve spares couldn't sleep in. But... Hopefully, Mrs. Anderson appreciates her nice, new, QUIET home with her new loud baby. Good luck to all the Bolton and Timmis Grads and all the kids who are leaving. Thanks to the Hyde-Lays, the Shergolds, the Camerons, Mr. Common, Jasmine, Brookie, Cam, Bateman, Plater, Kathryn, Laurie, and Darin. We will miss those of you leaving, and be glad to see familiar face when we return.

- Aya Shirayama, Head of House



Individual commitment to  
a group effort—that is  
what makes a team work,  
a company work, a society  
work, a civilization work.





# Winslow



It is literally true that  
you can succeed best  
and quickest by help-  
ing others to succeed.

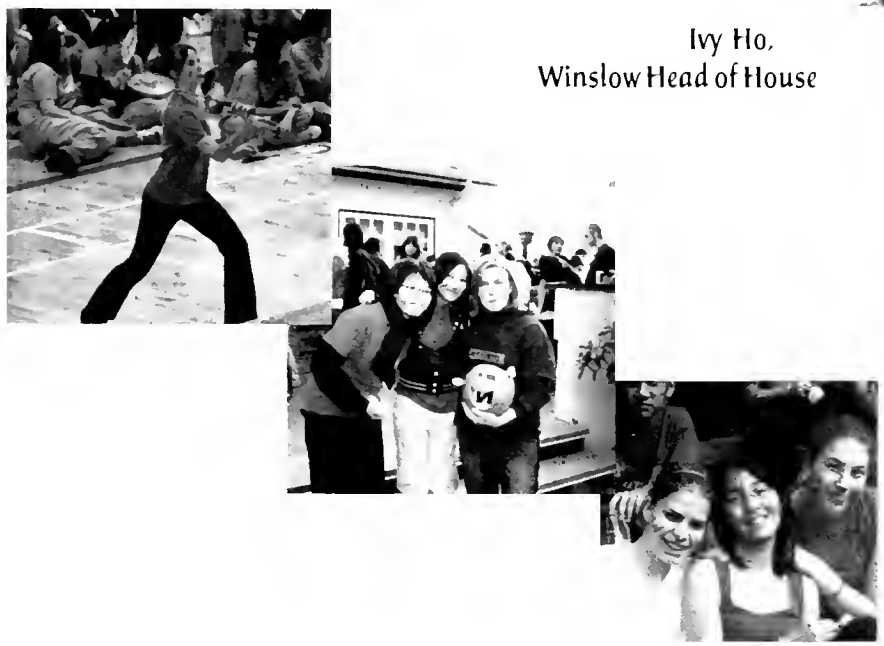


# Wildcats

Winslow House had a wonderful year. As usual, we had the fun of House Games in each term where we played soccer, badminton, volleyball, basketball and also had our House Olympics. True to Winslow's tradition we showed great spirit, but didn't always win! We also continued the Circle Group nights which began last year, and which bring us closer together. This year we designed a new house t-shirt and tie. The shirt is grass green with Winslow Wildcats written on it. The tie has the school colours, a narrow stripe which includes the green of the t-shirts and a tiny Winslow Wildcat logo. We also had a house dinner at the Thai Siam Restaurant with the Barnacle Boys. In the fall, we celebrated Halloween by having a contest for the scariest costume. Next, we prepared for Girl's Night In: we invited the girls from other houses to visit and enjoy our treats, many of which were baked by the Winslow girls in Mrs. Tweedie's kitchen. Before Christmas, we had our formal house dinner at the Empress Hotel where we enjoyed looking at all the decorated trees and got into the Christmas spirit. We also spread Christmas cheer to others by supporting the Single Parent project in Victoria. All of the girls gave generously and we were able to provide gifts and Christmas dinner for two families. Before we left for our Christmas break, we had our Secret Santa at the Tweedies' house, where Mr. Tweedie dressed up as Santa. We exchanged gifts and devoured, as usual, all the yummy snacks. In the spring term, we organized a Scavenger Hunt with the grade threes from the junior school, who had to follow the clues to find chocolate eggs all around the senior campus. We were glad to continue this hunt, which was instigated last year. Before final exams, the grade 11's and 12's went to the beach, where the grade 11's gave farewell speeches to the grade 12's grads. This brought lots of tears and sadness to our house. I would like to thank our Senior House Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tweedie; our Assistant House Parent, Mrs. McQueen; and the Junior House parents, Courtney and Susan, for the love and care they have given to every girl every day this year. Thank you to the prefects for all the work they have done, and special thanks to Jess Walker, the Deputy Head of House.



Ivy Ho,  
Winslow Head of House



"Close your eyes let your spirit start to soar, and you'll live as you've never lived before."





# CLUBS

**WANTED**  
FOR BEING TOO  
UGLY AS A WOMAN:



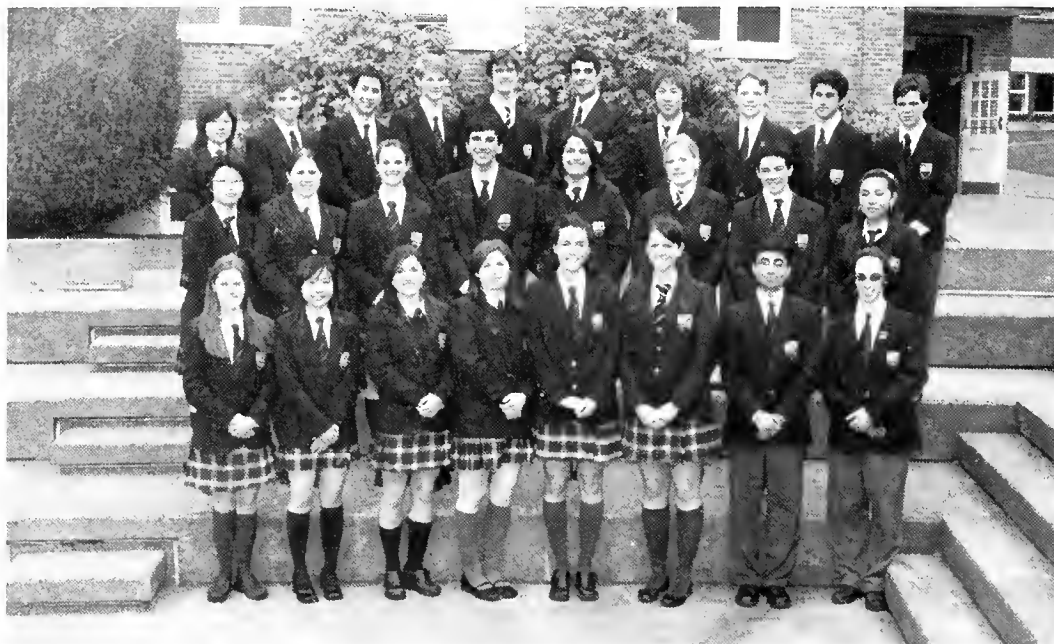
KEVIN "BLACK BETTY BART" COOK  
\$\$\$ CASH REWARD \$\$\$

**WANTED**  
**FOR TOO LARGE A**  
**MOUSTACHE:**



**PETER "THE LORAX" MCLEOD**  
**\$\$\$ CASH REWARD \$\$\$**

## PREFECT COUNCIL



**Back row:** Ayako Shirayama, James Reid, Calvin Lin, Evan Hesketh, Robert Orr, Navraj Chima, Steve Kwak, Evgeny Aleksandrov Darius Eghdami, Justin McElroy. **Middle row:** Ivy Ho, Elizabeth Humphries, Natalia Esling, Justin Gill, Priya Morley, Donata von Shack, Fraser Hayes, Julie Chun. **Front Row:** Janel Willms, Sannnifer Hoi, Ellie Shortt, Jessica Hopkins, Tisah Tucknott, Susan Davis, Nader Ahmed, Jeremy Hanson-Finger.

Our prefect council this year was comprised of a number of select grade 12 students who represented various aspects of the senior school. At our meetings, we focused on addressing concerns of SMUS students, parents, and faculty, as well as discussed future improvements to the school. The prefect council worked well together and we hope to have contributed to the betterment of the St. Michaels community.

- Head Boy Robert Orr and Head Girl Natalia Esling

## STUDENT COUNCIL

This year, the student council has worked on a variety of issues such as the uniform and the importance of seeking a well-balanced life. However, by far the biggest accomplishment was the implementation of a new system of voting for prefects and student heads. The council was instrumental in devising a questionnaire that was distributed to all faculty and grade eleven students, the results of which were used to modify the current system to reflect the views of students and staff. The modified system was used this year to choose next year's prefects and student heads and will be discussed next year to determine whether it was a success.

- Student Council Heads Evan Hesketh and Julie Chun



**Back Row:** Kimbell Hall, Bianca Saravana-Bawan, Ajit Singh, David Heffernan, Ryan Onasick, Robert Kelly, Evan Hesketh. **Middle Row:** Steven Dong, Daniel Altman, Susan Davis, Emily Peiffer, Chanelle Sawyer, James Reid, Mr. Tongue. **Front Row:** Asha Benedyczak, Sannifer Hoi, Julie Chun, Bonita Lam, Ahra Cho, Julie Lee, Justin McElroy.



## SERVICE COUNCIL



**Back Row:** Stephanie Klak, Varinda Wongkulnaparit, Benz Phaisaltantiwongs, Justin Gill, Navraj Chima, Tristen Cho, Gavin Duffus, Priya Morley. **Middle Row:** Mrs. Tweedie, Laura Faryna, Dani Ward, Jennifer Debroni, Paul Davison, Wilson Wong, Sam Sulk, Ahrom Jung, Mr. Cook. **Front Row:** Mrs. Hawes, Jen Rao, Melissa Ko, Roshni Veerapen, Jane Hauser, Jeremy Hanson-Finger, Brendan Inglis, David Sanders.

Service Council has strived to serve the school and community. We hosted such events as the pumpkin carving contest, the haunted house, pie eating competitions, and the annual Spirit Day. We also raised money for various charities, both in the community and around the world. These included the Mustard Seed, Heart and Stroke Foundation, World Vision, and Tsunami Relief. We would like to thank our entire council for all their hard work, as well as the help and dedication of Ms. Hawes, Mr. Cook, and Mrs. Tweedie.

- Service Council Heads Navraj Chima and Jeremy Hanson-Finger

## ARTS COUNCIL

Arts Council 2004-2005 has truly been, in keeping with our council's mission statement, "snazzy, jazzy, and fun!" Our council includes students from grades 9-12 who share a common love for the arts. As a group, we have organised many successful events for our school including weekly and very entertaining acoustic lunches, mesmerizing poetry readings, as well as our annual 12-hour Music Marathon fundraiser in support of WarChild Canada.

- Arts Council Heads Robert Orr and Natalia Esling



**Back Row:** Elizabeth Humphries, Natalia Esling, Robert Orr, Nicholas Houghton, Tisah Tucknott, Donata von Shack. **Middle Row:** Ms. Williams, Brin Porter, Elizabeth Ayre, Quinten Stedman, Graham Inglis. **Front Row:** Zachary Chan, Victoria Ker, Terry Kho, Sabrina Lueck, Ivy Chen, Peggy Hogan.



## ATHLETIC COUNCIL



**Back Row:** Katrina McIntosh, Brittany Martin, Andrew Weir, Dominik Rozwadowski, Ellie Shortt, Mrs. Powell. **Middle Row:** Wayne Lau, Carson Chow, Evgeny Aleksandrov, Erik Sjulstock, Lauren Johnson, Liam Flannigan. **Front Row:** Meyash Prabhu, Lauren Kerr, Mikey Strocel, Sarah Adair, Emily Sapsford, Fraser Hayes.

This year, the council has improved student and faculty involvement in Athletic events. Under the leadership of Mrs. Powell, Andrew Weir and Evgeny Aleksandrov, the council put on many SMUS spirit-building events such as the Staff vs. Student dodge ball game, Jersey Day, and Spirit day. We coordinated sporting events and conventions, and started an Athletic calendar and an athletic board to inform students of upcoming events. We also planned the acquisition of SMUS varsity jackets for Grade 11 and 12 students. Good job group.

- Andrew Weir, Head of Athletic Council

## ACADEMIC COUNCIL

This year was a productive one for the Academic Council, beginning with the revision of the Student Workload Guidelines, after which a "Think Pink" campaign was established that included a bake sale and scavenger hunt. Marine biologist Janie Wray, musician Louise Rose, and humanitarian Marc Kielburger all visited the school as part of the Scholars in Residence program. To cap the year, the Academic Council presented a trivia night, a fun filled evening that saw both students and teachers compete.

- Academic Council Heads Nader Ahmed and Janel Willms



**Back Row:** Kelly Sharp, Natasha Qureshi, Marisa Brook, Julia Gill, Michelle ?, Giovanna Licata, Nadine Qureshi, Mrs. Stanford. **Front Row:** Liz Guibault, Janel Willms, Allie Compton, Nicole Edgar, Nader Ahmed, Henry Pai, Nick Charleton.

## ADMISSIONS COUNCIL



**Back Row:** Evgeny Aleksandrov, Steve Kwak, Ian Crowe, Ms. Fowler, Roy Chan, Yan Chen, Mr. Klenz.  
**3rd row:** Ellene Ko, Anya Gawor, Katie Zhang, Nobukazu Miyoshi, Simon Ting, Sarah Nam, Vicky Ying, Herman Chan.  
**2nd row:** Carol Lam, Martine Willox, Yara Willox, Alice Geng, Varinda Wongkulnaparit, Mavis Song, Lee Ling Yang.  
**Front row:** Ah La Cho, Jordana Lee, Sannifer Hoi, Catherina Hur, Ellen Lin, Monica Lin, Julie Lee, Ivy Chen.

What a busy year! Once again we had the opportunity to welcome prospective students and families from our local community and around the world. The members of our Admissions Council played an integral role in showcasing our beautiful campus and our outstanding programmes. On a daily basis, they represented the school and made students, moms and dads (and sometimes even grandparents!) feel welcome and gave them a sense of what it is to join the SMUS community. Thank you.

- Gregor Klenz, staff liason

## INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL

The International Council took its first baby steps this year. Its purpose was basically two-fold: to bring to the school awareness of issues outside of Canada, and to integrate the many different cultures—both in residence and in the day community—that are present at St. Michaels University School. A number of initiatives took place this year, with the most ambitious being International Day and the Multi-cultural bake sale in May. Many more exciting events are being planned for next year.

- Evelyn Zapantis, staff liason



**Back Row:** Mrs. Tweedie, Ivy Ho, Varinda Wongkulnaparit, Andrew Weir, Anya Gawor, Donata von Schack, Mrs. Zapantis.  
**Front Row:** Catherina Hur, Andrea Chan, Carson Chow, Evgeny Aleksandrov, Erin Neubauer, Asha Benedyczak.

# Booklovers Club

Our Booklover's Club continues to be a peaceful haven in a busy school day where we gather to chat, snack and share thoughts about what we are reading, and we are able to inspect new books which is always so pleasurable. Mrs. Tweedie often reads excerpts from books she has enjoyed or which she thinks we would enjoy. We all read "The Curious incident of the dog in the night" and were treated to a lively booktalk from English teacher, Ms. Jennifer Fraser, who gave us some interesting perspectives on the novel. A bookbuying trip to Munroe's, Victoria's traditional bookshop was an exciting and enjoyable venture since students were able to choose books for the library themselves. It was fun to see our Booklovers enjoying their tea and pastries afterwards at Murchies, already deep into their new books! At Christmas we made our traditional gingerbread houses. We welcomed with great enthusiasm new members in grade 9 and 10 this year and some keen international students too, all of whom helped to make our club grow and flourish. Thank you, Booklovers, for your loyal support, when your lunch hours are often so



heavily in demand. This year, we say farewell to grads Marisa Brook (a Booklover since Grade 9), Anya Gawor, Carson Chou, Paulina Lipska, Erin Neubauer, Meri Kieksi and Andrew Weir. Thank you for your most enjoyable company at Booklovers Club. Let us continue to set the tone for a love of reading in the school with Thomas Jefferson's motto: "I cannot live without books"!



# Debating Team



The debate team had a hectic year that was packed with exciting events. We attended Ravenhurst (Dover Bay), The Bruce-Lockhart (Shawnigan), a Mock Trial (GNS), the provincials (Vancouver) and hosted several pizza debates. Our biggest event, however, was the regionals that we hosted at SMUS. One hundred debaters and one hundred and fifty volunteers in various areas came out for the event. Of special note were the outstanding performances of the following: Justin McElroy and Evan Hesketh (top pair, Ravenhurst); Emily Peiffer/Peggy Hogan (top pair, Regionals); Stephen Dong and Andrew Johnson (sixth pair, Provincials). It was a wonderful year for debate and our team improved substantially in the understanding of cross examination style, of parliamentary style and of mock trial procedures.

# Streamkeepers



Back Row: (L to R): Carson Chow, Samson Ho, Alice Geng, Bianca Saravana-Bawan, Martine Willox, Anya Gawor, Yara Willox  
 Front Row: Mrs. Kuklinski, Jordana Lee, Asha Benedyczak, Andrea Chan, Yan Chen, Julia Gill



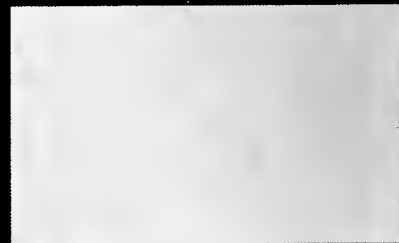
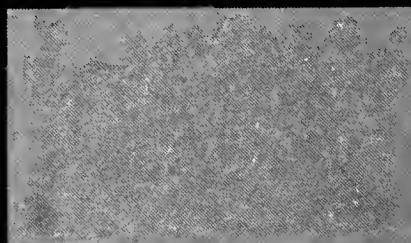
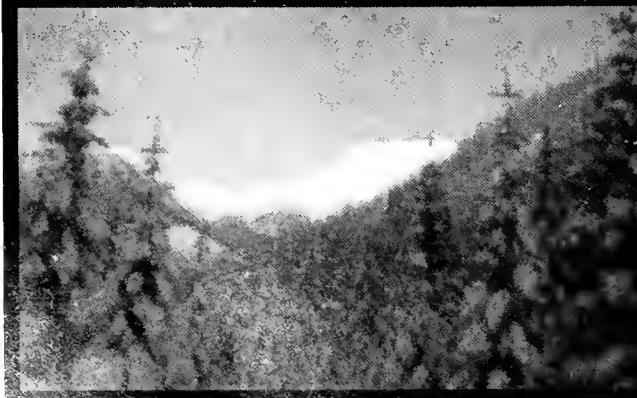
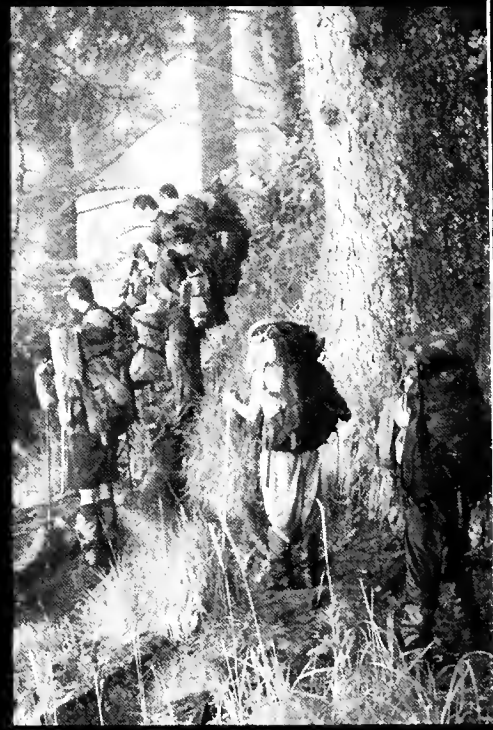
# Video Club

(L to R): David Lang, Robert Kelly, Vincent Yang, Arha Cho





# Outdoor Leadership





Courage is not  
the lack of fear.  
It is acting in  
spite of it.

— Mark Twain



# Student Life









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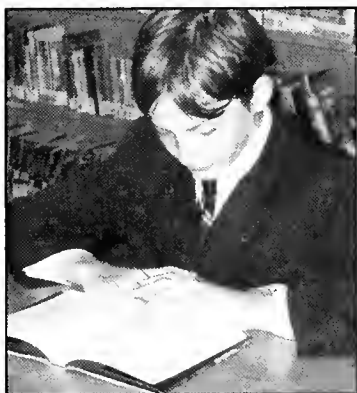
A circular black and white photograph of a young girl smiling next to a person dressed as Santa Claus.

A circular black and white photograph of three students sitting around a table, playing a board game on a checkered surface.

A rectangular black and white photograph of a group of students posing together. Some are wearing suspenders, and one is making a peace sign.

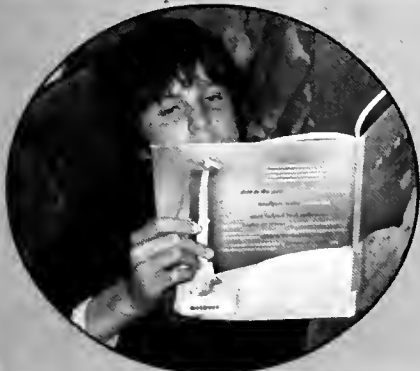
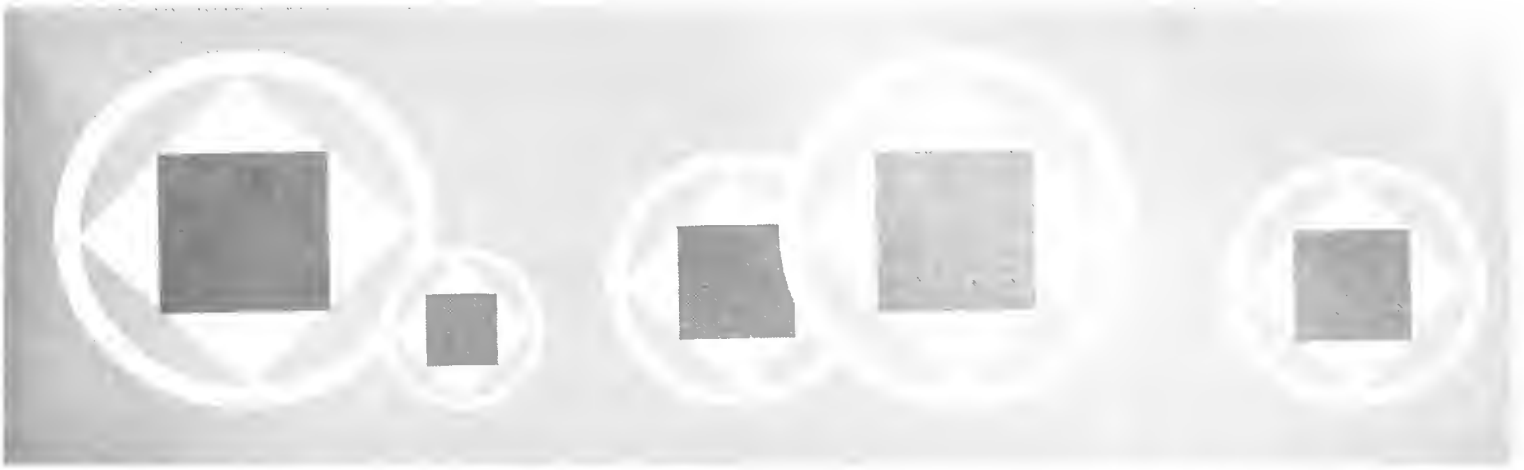
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Student Life



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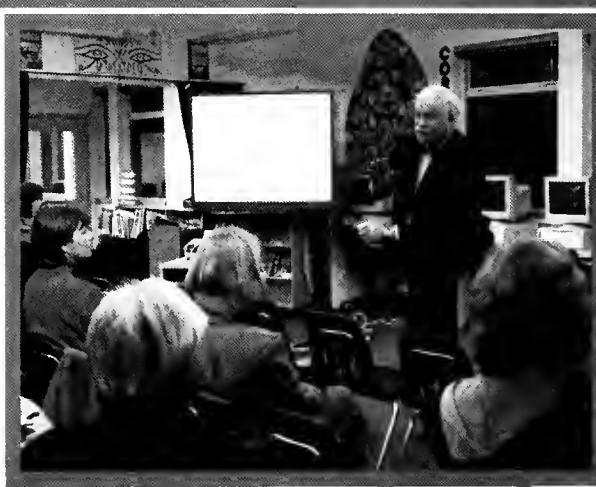
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# Parents Auxiliary



"As adults, we must ask more of our children than they know how to ask of themselves. What can we do to foster their open-hearted hopefulness, engage their need to collaborate, be an incentive to utilize their natural competency and compassion...show them ways they can connect, reach out, weave themselves into the web of relationships that is called community." - Dawna Markova





(Left to Right): Sulo Saravana Bawan (Treasurer), Sandra Bitz (1<sup>st</sup> Vice Pres), Jane Effa (Pres.), Cheryl Sawyer (Middle School Liaison), Lindsay Kislock (Past Pres), Betty Faryna (Secretary).  
Missing from photo: Heather Kohler (2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Pres.), Kathy Mavrikos (Sr. School Liaison), Gemma Bosworth (Middle School Liaison), Terry Stockus (Jr. School Liaison), Belinda Owen-Flood (Jr. School Liaison).

This year one of the major goals of the Parents' Auxiliary executive was to encourage a more cohesive school community. Starting with the Junior School Barn Dance in the fall, through to the Holiday Evening Celebration in December, and ending with "Caesar's at SMUS" in April, we had fun! Also, for the third consecutive year, the Boarders Without Borders program provided opportunities for Boarding students to have home-cooked meals in Day-family homes.

We enjoyed Guest Speaker evenings covering the following topics: Learning Resources at SMUS, Centenary Plans, SMUS Future Plans, and SMUS Galapagos Island Trips. Parent Education Lectures included: "When the Body Says No: The Hidden Cost of Stress", and "Social Host Responsibility: The Story of Bob". Parents also participated in a three part Parent Quest series: "Developing Capable People".

Other services included: Piece of Home Gift Packages and Cake Service for Boarding students, Pizza Days for all three schools, Used Uniform Sales, Student Directory, and Staff Appreciation lunches.

Over \$50,000.00 raised last year by the Auxiliary was distributed to the school this year as follows:

**Dedicated funds:**

Senior School (pizza funds): \$2,164.00  
Middle School (pizza funds): \$6,070.00

Junior School (pizza funds): \$5,159.00  
Boarding (Cake Service, Piece of Home): \$1,398.00

**Allocations funding requests:**

Sports Uniforms (Middle School) - \$4,200.00  
Two Cordless microphones (Drama Dept.) - \$3,700.00  
Orchestral Bells (Middle School Band) - \$850.00  
Tableaux Vivant program (Junior School French/Art) - \$2,000.00  
Track lighting for Barnacle/Winslow House (Boarding) - \$350.00  
One double kayak (Outdoor Ed) - \$3,200.00  
Furniture for Wenman Pavillion (School Community) - \$5,000.00  
Guest speakers (Mr. Michael Bortolotto, Dr. Gabor Mate) - \$2,750.00

Smart Board and Computer Projector (Junior School - Primary) - \$4,000.00  
Computer Projector (Middle School Band) - \$2,500.00  
Computer Projector (Senior School English) - \$2,500.00  
Colour Printer (Senior School) - \$2,700.00  
Exercise Mats (Middle/Senior Schools) - \$860.00  
Portable Volleyball nets (Middle/Senior Schools) - \$850.00  
Ophthalmoscope (Infirmary - School Community) - \$375.00.

**Thank you parents, students and staff for your support and for making this year such a memorable one!**  
**Jane Effa, President**



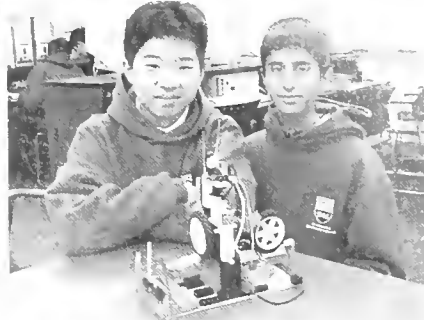
# *Our Chapel*

This year was a year of change for Chapel at SMUS. Our current chaplain, Rev. June Maffin, was away for the entire year battling an illness, so Mr. Tongue stepped into the role of conducting our services for year, a role he performed ably. In addition, presentations in Chapel were more frequently done by SMUS students – a change that was warmly received by students and staff alike. Many thanks to Emery Moses, Jamey Reid, and Rob Kelly for the help in preparing for each Chapel Service, and we look forward to more inspiring presentations from students and staff next year.

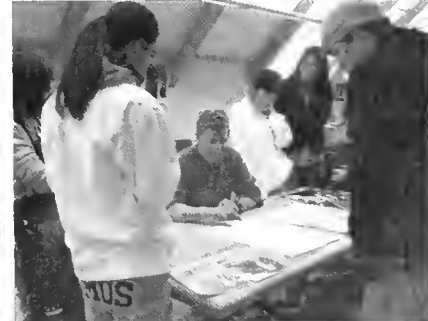
- Justin McElroy



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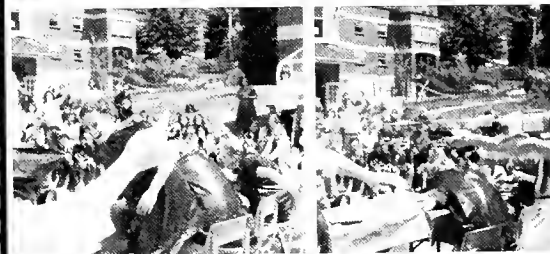


# Class Time



"In science, 'fact' can only mean 'confirmed to such a degree that it would be perverse to withhold provisional assent.' I suppose that apples might start to rise tomorrow, but the possibility does not merit equal time in physics classrooms." - Stephen Jay Gould

# SMUS Spirit Days





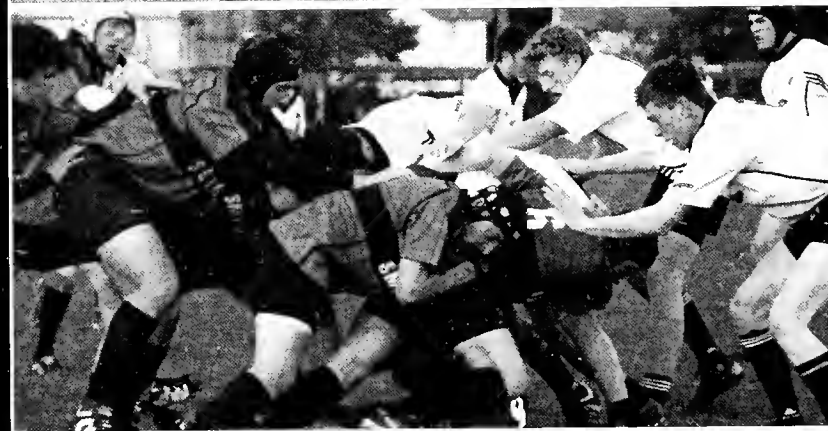
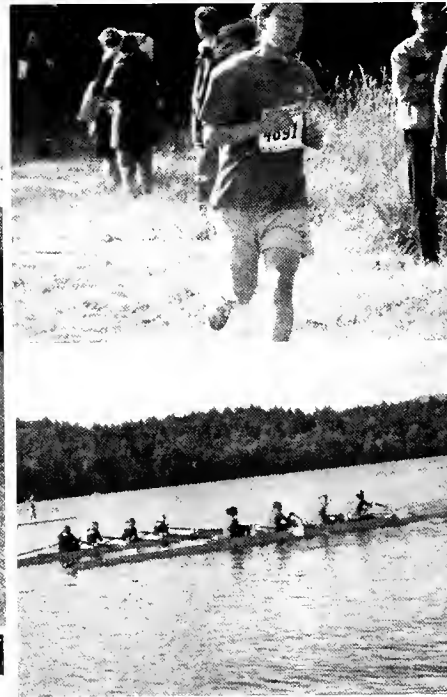
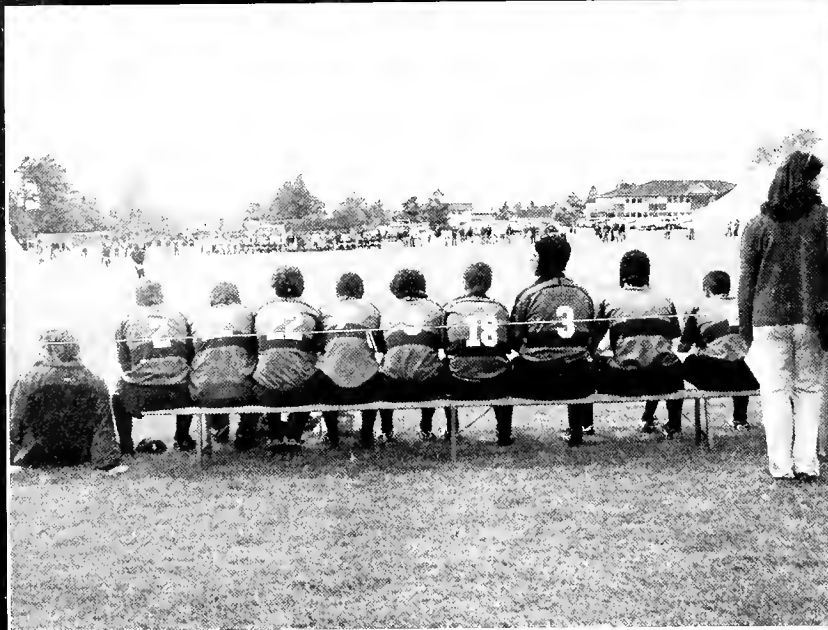


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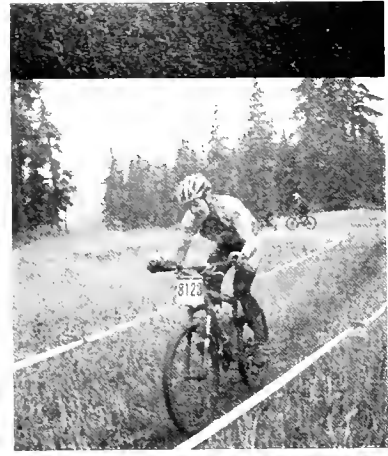




# SPORTS

**"Your opponent, in the end, is never really the player on the other side of the net, or the swimmer in the next lane, or the team on the other side of the field, or even the bar you must high-jump. Your opponent is yourself, your negative internal voices, your level of determination."**  
**--Grace Lichtenstein**





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# T i m e



# FRIENDS

SHARE

REST

LIVE

WORK

PLAY



*"No man can be happy without a friend, nor be sure of his friend till he is unhappy."  
--Thomas Fuller*





# BREAK



## QUAD FULL OF BUDDIES!





# Boarding Culture

SYMONS HARVEY TIMMIS BOLTON WINSLOW BARNACLE



Pumpkin carving



Crazy midnight skate



## Five Words Descibing Boarding...

1. Fun
2. Amusement
3. Spaß
4. Diversión
5. Tanoshii



Howlapalooza



Guys' pool night



Reach for the Top: Boarding Edition



Oops, prefect on duty!



Waiting for food

## Five things you will always find in Boarding...

1. Friends
2. Les amis
3. Freunde
4. Amigos
5. Tomodachi



Movie night



Tag of war



Friends forever



...and ever



...and ever



Dance dance revolution

### Five things you hate about boarding.

1. Nothing
2. Rien
3. Nichts
4. Nada
5. Nanimo



Keeping watch



Floor dinner



Chillaxin



Boarding services





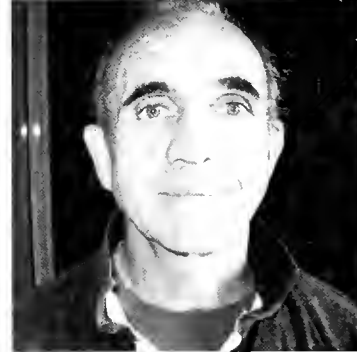


# Happy Halloween

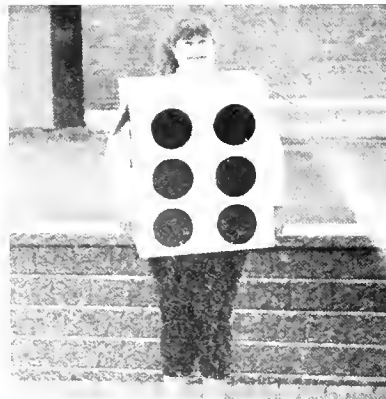


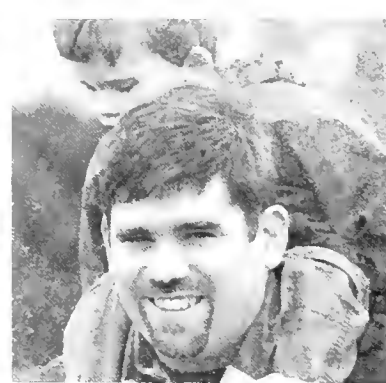


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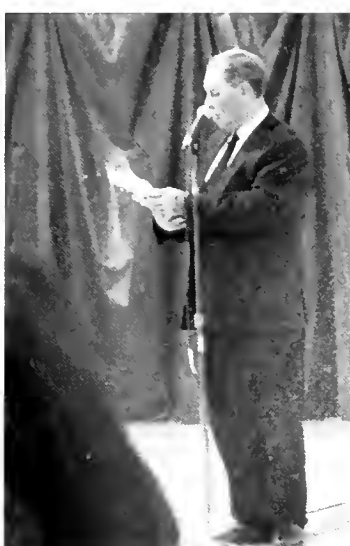


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# Snow Day







# Assembly Christmas



# Acoustic Concerts



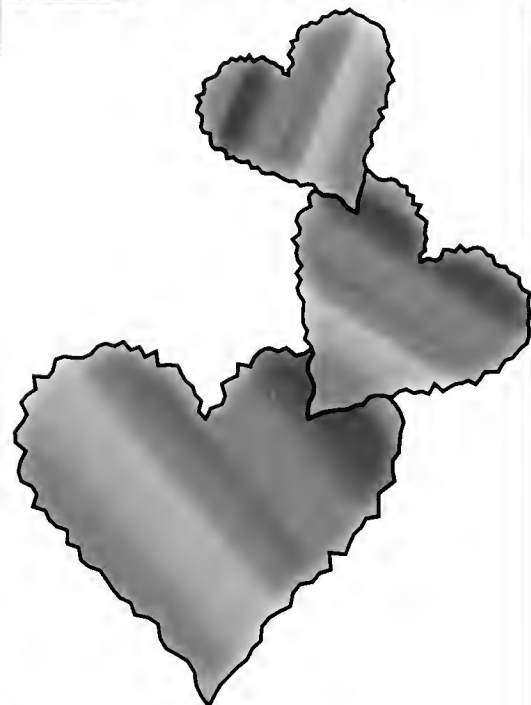
*Musical  
Moments*





Love is like a piece of art work,  
even the smallest bit can be so beautiful.  
- Stacie Cunningham





# Kalentine







**"Not everybody trusts paintings but people believe photographs."  
- Ansel Adams**

"If the answer given is incorrect or no answer is given, the player and team are eliminated from the play and the question is automatically offered to the opposing team."

- Reach for the Top official rules



"Rhythm is everywhere!"  
- Gandhi (TV Show "Clone High")



# DANCE



SHAKE

MOVE

YOUR

BOOTIE

BODY





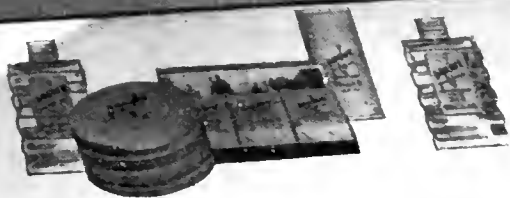
# The Graduates

*Barbasol*



AGAIN  
WITH YOUR BARBASOL FACE"





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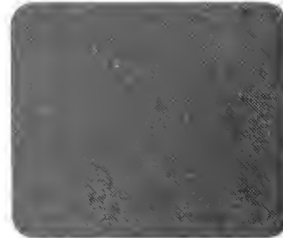
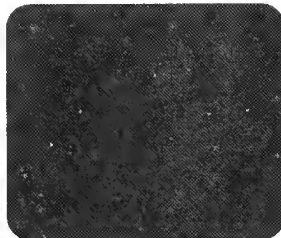




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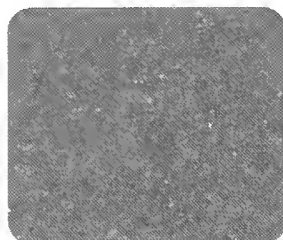


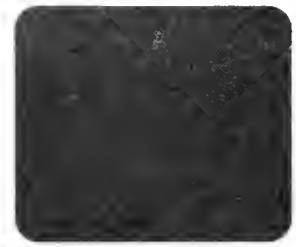
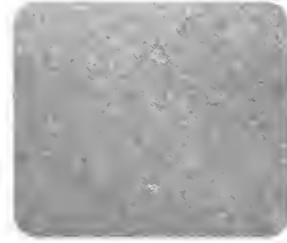
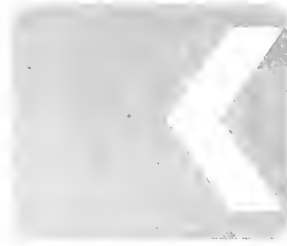
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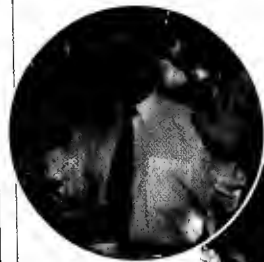
**“ Graduation is not the end; it’s the beginning.”**





*You cannot help  
but learn more as you  
take the world into your  
hands. Take it up rever-  
ently, for it is an old  
piece of clay, with  
millions of thumbprints  
on it.*

*— John Updike*



**"The time is gone, the song is over,  
thought I'd something more to say..."**  
- Pink Floyd





# MEMORIES



# Grad 2005 Dinner Dance





# Grad 2005



Ice, ice, baby!



Egads, I need my coffee!



I'm sure there's an appropriate caption for this...



"This is no yearbook room -this is a den of lechery!" -Rowan Melling



Gotta love poetry and cookies!



Mmmmm. calculus! Hit me up with the goods!

Go Grad 2005

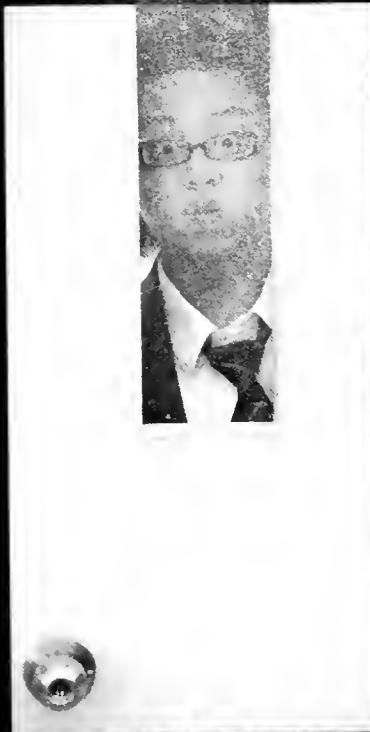


"To be, or not to be?" - MC Rupert mixes things up

**"I've had a wonderful time, but this wasn't it." - Groucho Marx**



Relax, Jan, it's only kinda going to steal your soul.



Mr. Gardiner's 'aquarium experiment' was more successful than anticipated.



Oh...



Gee, I hate photogenic kids!



Give those back, I can't walk, you fools!



1.



2.



3.

1. Oh look, a shiny object!
2. Danny's expression just says "clothing optional."
3. Chillin' with my best buddy's sister.

# Grad Fashion Show



Sexy!



LIVE !

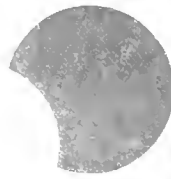
Hot



Elegant



What's Next?





# Grad 2005



## Nada Ahmad

As some of my closest friends know, I love food, and my time at SMUS was kind of like a gourmet dish, consisting of an assortment of delightful pleasures. Cricket was a staple of my SMUS platter. Particularly, I'll remember the usually one-sided but light-hearted mid-week league matches and the always-dramatic Clayton Cup matches. Early morning band rehearsals were kind of like vegetables – the thought of them made me grouchy, but in the end they were good for me, as I always felt refreshed at the end of them. Out trips, council meetings and fun times with friends are memories all sprinkled in there too, and if the saying, "Variety is the spice of life" is true, then it's no wonder I had such a DELICIOUS time at SMUS. Best wishes, everyone!



## Isabel Aldag

Find your way. Your own! Be yourself. Be unique. Don't be perfect, but at least be satisfied. Always dream, but never ask for too much. Keep a sense of humour. Live with passion! Two wonderful years have passed. I have moved and I have changed. But still, I have never forgotten about the life I had, before I came here. You don't know anything, until you experience it! Thanks everybody, for all the shared moments. I will not forget! And I hope we will meet again. Goodbye Canada. Goodbye St. Michaels University School. Congratulations GRAD 2005. "The end is the beginning is the..." It's all in our own hands now!



## Eugeniy Aleksandro

Many words come to my mind, but words of appreciation are the most valuable ones. During my two years at the school I got to know many incredible people. I want to thank the staff members and teachers who so excellently fed my curious head. Thank you to all my friends who gave support at tough times and shared fun throughout the others. Ariel... a big thanks to you for patience and care... I admire it. Being at SMUS for two years has greatly changed my life. Not only the time here was one the busiest in my life, but also helped to expand abilities in leadership and academics. I have proven one phrase for myself: "It is not enough to be good if you can be better."



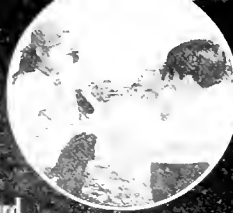
## Allison Archibald

Wow...7 whole years. It seems like just yesterday I was walking down the halls of Middle School getting lost on my way to social studies with Mr. Manson-Blair. My time at SMUS has been great. There have been ups and downs and everything in between. I've made friends here that I will never forget. Everyone at the school has touched my life in some way or another. Teachers have taught me valuable lessons for life that I'm sure will become more meaningful as I get older. Outdoor Leadership was one of the best experiences of my life, and I will never forget winter camping, or sea kayaking. And last, but definitely not least, I have to say thank you to all my friends. You know who you are, and I love you all very much. (I don't want do shout-outs because invariably I'll forget someone, and they'll get mad)...so to everyone: I love you, and I'll miss you next year. Best of luck to the graduating class of 2005!!!



## Minjung Baek

I'm finally out of SMUS! 5 years of learning have shaped me into the person I'm today. Especially 5 years of boarding life made me to be an independent and responsible person. Huge gratitude to my family for supporting and caring for me. To all my teachers and house parents, thank for encouraging and teaching me. My roommates, Michelle and Alice, who I'll never forget, sorry for all the inconvenience I made, but we got along with it. Last of all, Richard Ma! Am I still your second priority? You're the one that I want to thank the most. I spent most of the time with you in the last 4 (or 5) years, and I still don't get how we're always like the people who met a week ago. Glad that you actually came back to SMUS. I'll never lose you again. Luv-ya\*



## Jeannine Bartz

13 yrs, so many memories! Girls of 04-great memories, much random flailing & lurking ahead! Tashy-friends since the troll years. We'll always rule the playground with minor threats, missions and the gang. Katia-irreplaceable Euro-blast bond. What'll I do without my thorny, pooky, Russian animal? Darius-my best friend, you completed my last 2 years and helped me realize so much. It's been fun, I wouldn't change a thing! I love you TOO! To all my other friends, love you and thanks. To my 3 incredible parents-thanks for the love, tolerance, patience, wisdom, opportunities & support. Love you so much! Bianca-I love you tons, you've been so supportive and the fun we have is uncontrollable! Thanks everyone and good luck grads!



## Mark Bazett

After 5 years at SMUS I am excited to leave and go on to wherever life takes me, but I will look back with many fond memories. I'll miss much, the hours of music a week, the climbing wall, driving in the Civic, business, and much more. With my ridiculous ukulele obsession, extreme camping, and beautiful hair, I have escaped from SMUS with only a few scrapes. Special thanks to all my teachers, parents, friends and sibling for helping me whenever I needed it. To everyone, Good Bye.



## Trevor Blakeney

Thanks for coming out! Wow, what a school. I want my 5 years back, even though I know it will help me in the long run. Let's see if I can remember anything... Poncho Cuatro: Alex, you never bought the hat: Weir, you know everybody, just not their names: Victor, you're always up for partying, magical times... Osel Hita-Torres: nos reuniremos otra vez, amigo. To all my friends: you made it way too much fun. I'll remember the foreigners: Oz, Felix, Peter -you guys made me laugh. Places to be: Uplands park - Africa, Ele's hut, Kit's basement. If you ever want to find me, I will be on a beach in Naramata. "Emancipate yourself from mental slavery, none but ourselves can free our minds." - Bob Marley



## Charles Bodman

Looking back at my life, my greatest memories come from my 5 years at SMUS. There are ups and downs, but the ups overcame the downs. Our group was always looking out for each other, and 10 years from now I hope we're all still in touch. My baby, nothing in this world could ever replace you, you are everything to me. To the grad class of 2005, "May the wind always be at your back and the sun upon your face, and the winds of destiny carry you aloft to dance with the stars."



## *Apa Boisenain*

My father once said, "If you have one inspirational teacher in the whole of your school career, you're lucky." Thank you to Mr. Young for being that teacher. Thank you as well to Nick Csomary and Kaitlin Martin for dragging me (sometimes kicking and screaming) through my two-year SMUS adventure: you two have been my support and guiding light(s) at this school. Thank you to my parents for being my best friends, guilt trippers and sources of inspiration. I'd like to say "I love you" to my grampa, Lucas and Emmy. I suppose I'll see all of the grad class at our high school reunion...I hope some of you have grown up by then.



## *Marisa Brook*

Marisa walked in the doors of the school for the first day of kindergarten and subsequently spent thirteen years here just to ensure she'd had enough. (She's pretty sure that she has.) Unsurprisingly, she'd like to thank her classmates, teachers, family, and everyone reading this who is putting up with yet another generic third-person grad profile ending in a quotation. "I may not have gone where I intended to go, but I think I have ended up where I intended to be." - Douglas Adams



## *Sarah Brown*

First and foremost, I would like to thank my parents for always believing in me and to Colin for giving me hope. To the teachers that have always pushed me to be greater and to strive for the best, thanks for a wonderful 4 years. To my friends, I love you all and I know that I couldn't have gotten this far without you. Each and every one of you has touched me in a special way and I will never forget anything. Ellary, my boo, you have shown me the type of person I would like to be, thank you for your amazing friendship.

"Live as if you'll die today, dream as if you'll live forever."

"Friends are quiet angels who lift us to our feet when our wings have trouble remembering how to fly."

Good luck Grad 2005



## *Zoe Brown*

"Take it anywhere, play it anywhere..."

-Grad 2005



## *Kit Brown-Watts*

The last four years at SMUS have been the biggest ride of my life, and all my experiences have now become fond memories. I couldn't have asked for better friends, mentors, or good times, and I'll always remember them. If it hadn't been for their persistence, I would not have found my way through the difficult, sometimes tedious, but at-the-end-definitely-worth-it time period in my life called high school. I always appreciated the opportunities, time well spent, trips, parties, and the help from friends, and that's what makes the whole journey worthwhile.





## Christopher Butnelt

Ah yes, the end has come. From crying in kindergarten, to writing poems in grade 12. From Mrs. Miles to Mr. Young, 13 years is a long time to stay in one place. It's been one hell of a ride. There's been lots of ups and downs but I have enjoyed every minute of it. To all my friends, thank you for carrying me to wherever I end up. Nick, stay away from my dog, thanks for the good times. Afra, Charlie and Kait, thanks for the random moments, and the rides to Hillside. My fellow lifers, thanks for being the familiar face that makes SMUS a comfortable place. My brothers, thanks for the bruises and poker games, never stop doing what you love. My parents, thanks for being there. I survived thanks to you. Junior, Middle, Senior, I'm getting out of here.



## Andrew Cavin

I started at SMUS in grade 7 and it was good times after that. Thanks to all the boys who've been here since then and some good additions on the way, always had a good time. To the girls, thanks for everything you guys are always a fun time. Rugby, soccer and basketball trips were unforgettable times. On the dock with our lassies in the summer. A special thanks to my parents for always pushing me and making me do things that I didn't want to do. Thanks to my brother for showing me the way from a young age. Thanks to everyone else that ever helped me out on the way to make my school life better. Finally a massive shout out to the TRIO, don't know what I would have done without you boys.



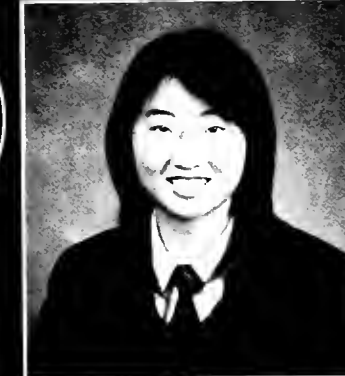
## Alex Cecchetti

Well I have managed to make it through the past three years more or less unscathed. Of course I would like to write that I managed to get to this point all on my own, but I wouldn't dream of discounting the people who have brought me this far. So I think I will start by saying a HUGE thank you and I LOVE YOU to my family. Mom, Dad, Julian and Audrey your love makes life worth living. Now, I need to say just two things about my best friend. One, thank you for always being there for me. Two, you WILL find a man, someday, I have always had faith in your ability to attract one, don't let me down now, not after this long.



## Iris Chan

SMUS taught me lessons I can hardly learn elsewhere. It wasn't an easy journey but we made it eventually. Mom, dad, sis: without you I'm nothing. I'm always indebted. Julie: Can't imagine another 4 years with you! Love you. Joyce: You're a special friend. Have fun in UBC! Jen: lots of fun with you, see you in HK! Mo: Midnight McDonalds, kimchi noodle & dance—> madness! Mich: holy moly, bluebird to hillside! Ellen: song song, good luck. Kevin: good times. Calvin: thanks for everything, I owe you one. See you in the future. Reno: brother, take care! Winnie. Surrey: have fun! Alice, Ivy, Chloe, Kevin (brother), Germain, Minju, Jon and everyone else that made a footprint in my life, thanks and best of luck to you all. Time for another level of craziness!



## Roy Chan

"Carefree, lasting enjoyment..."  
—Grad 2005





## Kevin Chang

It's 2am in the morning. I am doing my grad write-up and Jon is talking with Celia. I have been staying at SMUS for four years. I enjoy my every single year here. Howard, my ultimate boarding buddy. To Simon, Horace, Monica, Ellen, Calvin, Julie, Michi, Sharon, Henry, Luke, Jesse, Surrey, Bon, Aya, Karen, Clar, Joyce, Iris, Ning, Jen, and Alice, thanks for everything you bring to me. Chloe, it's my pleasure to be your "SEA MONSTER". Ivy, you give me the best time at SMUS. Jon Jon, it is so good being you roommate. Ting, 06/04. Char, Physics forever, baby!! Carol, thank you for the things I learn from you. Bryan, Arthur, Andrew, Oscar, Alex, James, and Kevin. Finally, Life sucks, but life goes on.



## Natasha Chao

There aren't enough words to describe how grateful I am to those people who've had a positive influence on my life. Chris-I'm so lucky to have had someone like you in my life. You're an amazing person and a great boyfriend. Who else would have put up with me? Liam-without your friendship and advice I would be so lost. You've always been there for me and that means a lot. Thanks for everything and remember, it stays between us. Jen-it's hard to believe that we've been friends for 12 years. The gang says, "you're the best friend ever" ...nothing but coconuts. To all fellow junior schoolers-we've come a long way. congrats. Finally, to my parents, I know I complain but I couldn't have asked for better ones. Thanks for all the love and support.



## Jonathan Chao

After 3 years of my life being "consumed" at SMUS, I came to a very important conclusion: "SMUS is an amazing school filled with amazing people, thank you." Good luck everyone.....although...I don't believe in luck....anyways...umm....and...WORLD PEACE!!! Orz



## Matthew Chardon

From Brian Martin to Will Gall-Tall, skipped classes, spares, and most of all, those of you who made me laugh: this is a shout-out to you, teachers, students, and staff. Family and friends this is dedicated to you, a special thanks to everyone who knew, that I would work hard and succeed at last, 12 years and running, university's coming fast. From James and Yank to Evan and Whitey, those in between and even the almighty, Lachliffy Split and Rupert Common, keep it clean and quit the N-bombin'. Thanks for everything, best of luck (hopefully our dance and after-grad wont suck.) A few years I'll have a mil. in the bank. Gucci head to toe, a beauty at my flank and I'll see you at our 10-year Grad 2005 and maybe at our 50<sup>th</sup> if I'm still alive.



## Karen Cheung

Three years of SMUS and boarding life has prepared me a lot. Thanks to my parents for giving me the opportunity to explore. Thanks to my friends: Marissa: Wish you all the best next year. Albert: Take care! I will miss you! Vicky: Just one more year to go! Good luck! Gloria: Take care! Alice: The piece of cake is for you. Gr.10 memories. Tommy: Good luck! TimTim: Stop fighting with Tommy! Simon: Best brother ever! Carson: Hope we don't see "him" again! Lil bro Daryl: Thanks for supporting me all the time! Howard: Keep in touch! Roy: Best friends forever! Carol and Bonita: Keep in touch! Remember to meet me up in Hong Kong! Wendy and Surrey: Two more years to go! Good Luck! KevinH: Now I have to wait for your Grad photo! Good! Congrats to grad 2005!



## Natalie Chima

13 years, K-12: BEST YEARS OF MY LIFE (to date). My classmates and I have changed so much: we are no longer those shy, scared, knee-high kindergarteners. We are Grad 2005! Congrats guys, we made it! Good luck to all. A few things at SMUS have made my time here special: science, bio, chem, labs, cello, strings, cricket, b-ball, councils, yearbook, excursions, events, teachers, and friends. To my teachers: Thank You. To my friends: Thank You. To my parents: Thank You. You have all made me laugh and enjoy life; you have all helped me, guided me, and supported me. But most of all, you have been there with me through thick and thin, and that's all that matters. "Education's purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one." ~ Malcolm S. Forbes.



## Natalie Chiu

Ups and downs, good times, bad times...whatever it is, the past 3 years here at SMUS have definitely been MEMORABLE. All these little things add up to make this experience unique...living in Victoria, living in boarding, meeting so many great people... this is a chapter of my life I'll never forget. I can't thank the people around me enough, you all have taught me so many things, more than words can explain. Special shouts to Mom and Dad, Cass & Clay, Tomson, Marie, Alex, Joey, Ellary, Paulina, Ken, Carol, my Winslow ladies and Baranacle boys...the list goes on. Now I turn the page to the next chapter, satisfied, with a smile and no regrets. Much love.



## Carson Chow

Take care. Thanks DWilliams for taking a chance on me, LRajotte for love of me in math, CMurtland for being my old chum! TYoung: come to Hong Kong! Sam: Best Friend ever. Don't forget me. Ivy: Thanks for being silly. San: you're a rock star! Karen, Vinx, Gloria: Love ya all! Andrea: cute and funny! Varinda: keep the laughs. Ben, Hen: holy wad intelligent! Iris: carry the fun times. Hyunji, Alice: ah miss you wit my heart. Mixuer, Momo, Elin, Tai-friends forever. Leeling: bus hop skip. IvyC: funniest girl haha. Benz: you mean a lot to me. Dylan, Paul: my VocalJazz sons! Mini: so adorable! A big fat hug to Juyuan. Joyce: screw Psy. Jon: coolest chem. partner! To Max: vielenDank. And of course, Mom and Dad, I love them because I'm that GREAT la!



## Julie Chun

Honestly, I cannot believe that I am at the end of my final year at SMUS. It seems like yesterday that I arrived at the middle school as a clueless and awkward child. I made special friendships here that will surely last a lifetime: YOU KNOW WHO YOU ARE. Lest we forget our memories: bubble tea in Chinatown, movies at Justin's...Thanks to mom and dad, I LOVEYOU for everything that you have done for me, given up for me, and for just being you. And to my one and only sis, Daye, I LOVEYOU and da jal del guh la miduh. Although it was great while it lasted, I am excited of a life beyond this sheltered community. "Half our life is spent trying to find something to do with the time we have rushed through life trying to save." Will Rogers So, just do it.



## Megan Clarke

### Procrastinate:

v. intr. To put off doing something, especially out of habitual carelessness or laziness.

v. tr. To postpone or delay needlessly.

postpone doing what one should be doing: "He did not want to and so procrastinated for days" [syn: stall, drag one's feet, drag one's heels, shilly-shally, dilly-dally] 2: postpone or delay needlessly.

Thank you to all the teachers who tolerated me and to my friends who just wouldn't.



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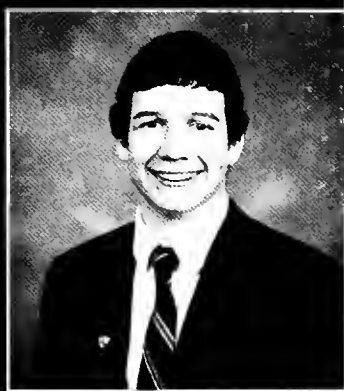
## *Elary Cohen*

Once upon a time there was a little American girl that came to Canada. She was only in grade nine when she first arrived. In Victoria she ended up attending a great school and meeting the best friends she will ever have. Before moving back to cali she would like to thank the Symons house girls, her volleyball team, and the crew for all the good times and support. To her family, thank you for letting her do what she had to. To her ladies, she loves you and always will. XOXO Sara, Kait, Ele, Jessy, Alexa, Muryn, Gill, Al, Megan, Lexi XOXO. The adventures will never be forgotten. And all the grads of '05 lived happily ever after.



## *Rupert Common*

Being such a gangster made my time at SMU quite enjoyable. I blew up the scene in grade 10 with my home slices d and doosh. Coming from housing projects, Bolton was a change, but we kept it straight G-Unit (Uff and JD, you know how we do) to pour some for my homies would take too long. heirgo, a rhymed inside joke fest: cpiece/jfresh Holler back-skurup, section6 aristokrats. Tubgirl, Malibu ava-ca-do - diddy's knogquest, Hoover crips dance 3-6-0. Officer kitchen, budday, Carson la- echilanté, lemonparty, windows D haha. Tbone, Havoc, shylock, and the clap- I keep the sticker, on my pinwheel hat. I love you mum, I love you dad- Sarah lets keep close- raise your generic party cups as I propose this toast. I'm done like brown hall dinner.



## *Adam Courtroll*

I just want to thank my family and friends, especially the TRIO, Halo 2 and Lassey which have always been there for us. Without you guys I could not make it through 4 years at SMUS. I hope you all are successful and live a meaningful life. Thanks to everyone who has helped me make it through school. Grad 2005!



## *Nicholas Esomany*

Being here for 13 years has been an experience. But the senior school really is the top of the heap, and it feels like it. Thank you to all the people who've helped me, mentored me and stuck with me through the sometimes rocky years. Afra, you helped me realize my full potential, more than anyone else, thank you. The yearbook room and its vast number of followers, I don't know how I would have made it through the day without a hot chocolate or two. As for after school I'm ready to face the world, now after receiving various degrees of advice from several teachers, I truly believe I can make it. In what I do not know, but I will go down several paths, see the world, figure more of it out. Mr. Tarkanian I am ready for you.



## *Susan Davis*

Babe Ruth's 714 home runs will never be forgotten. But how many of us know that the Babe struck out a record 1330 times. There will always be disappointments along the way, but "how many points do you think you're going to score if you never take a shot?" Congratulations to the class of 2005! Ellie: Thanks for taking me under your wing in grade 9. Joni: Friday night countdowns are finally over. The girls: Mare, Amy, Anik, Liz, Tisah. To the guys: Chris, Phil, John, Dom, Anj, Weir, Liam, Rupert, Adam, Robert. And to my teachers and coaches who helped me develop as a student and as an athlete. Good luck to everyone. Cheers!





## Maryn Dempster

What? Crazy. SMUS has been.... an experience. One that I'm pretty sure I won't forget for a long time. Mom and Dad, thanks for all the support. I missed you guys. Cory, you're the best reason to go home. Ginny, play me Barbie home me? To the Ridge crew, you guys are the best, you're always there for me when I need you. Boarding girls, Jess, Ellary, Lex, you made this year worth it. Dani, dance parties? That about sums up our time spent in our room. oh and big big big rings. Timmis is clearly the best house ever, Family Night kicked bottom. (bottom, because clearly you can't say a\*s) Anyways.... I hope everyone had an awesome year. Love (perhaps) Maryn PS. Hey Lads. Yeehaw ride'em cowboy. I like fights and looonng nights at the hoedown



## Gavin Duffus

As much as I look forward to seeing what awaits me at university, I can't help but think that it is going to be hard to top the great times that I've had over these past 5 years at SMUS. I consider myself lucky to have had an enjoyable high school experience, and I owe it first and foremost to my friends; it would have been quite dull without you guys! Each one of you is more talented and inspiring than you may give yourself credit for. And to the teachers, whose enthusiasm made class worth going to. My family - you are what kept me strong during times of high stress. Thank you! Out trips, rowing regattas, spares at hillside, summer lunches on the field, and movie nights at Justin's are some of my fondest memories. Good luck to all the Grads



## Darius Eghdami

Well we finally made it! Thanks mom and dad for the support and opportunities you have given me, I wouldn't be here if it weren't for you two, I love you guys so much. Lily thanks for being such a great sister and always having time for me. To all the guys, you know who you are, keep it real. Bolton thank you for the experience you have given me, I'll never forget it. Jeannine, these past two years with you have been amazing, thanks for always being there and for caring about me so much, not only were you a great girlfriend but also the best friend anyone could ask for. Never forget your Maus. Stay in touch guys. Enjoy the new life.



## Theodore Exkling

Congrats dudes and dudesses, we made it! Veni vidi vici! Up high Lincoln Continental! Man, these last five years have been an utter blast, whether it was congealing into a quad blob or attending Evan Hesketh's retro smash. Rupert and Darius, I'll never forget that helicopter. Dom and Chris, rugby forever. Hey Matt, tackle this! Cavin, you're my idol. Suze and Ellie, outdoor leadership was a great time. I am a strong man - I'll see you guys at Harvard. I won't be going there, but whatever, man, I got the 'tude - I'm free wheeling. Thanks for all the fun times in drama class, Mr. Gauthier. A word of advice for y'all: if the shoe ain't broke, don't fix it. I'm so glad I was here. Thanks to everyone: my friends, my parents, and my ever-loving, all-knowing, omnipotent house parents. Keep it real. Theo out!



## Natalia Esling

At last, it's our turn to put in a final word before hanging up our uniforms. For me, my years at SMUS have successfully encompassed all aspects of growing up that I could imagine. Warmly welcomed in grade 6, I've had humbling experiences as well as faced challenging decisions, and in the process I have met some very inspiring people. I've learned so many things, not only about numbers or formulas, but also about life and humanity. I am forever grateful to my teachers who so kindly took the time to answer my questions; you have made a difference in my life. To my beloved friends: thank you for making me laugh and for drying my tears, I couldn't ask for better company! Mamusia i Tata: ja zawsze was bardzo kocham, dziękuję za moje życie. xox





## Ashia Fatchari

The day to move on and to experience life outside of SMUS has finally come, and I wouldn't have made it without my mom's, teachers', friends', houseparents', and Symons sisters' support. The memories I have will always be the fondest, such as the lake, the canoe, Sabriz, Santa Maria tango, "Phantom of the Opera" duets, creepy ice cream parlor, nature photos, the puddle splashing, Vancouver trip, the great duel between Sir Langelot and Sir Coopsalot, crazy dancing to "Chicago", snow fights, Halloween with the clicky heels, cape, cat ears, and dreadlocks; tennis, chemistry action films, grass throwing, victorious house games, Harvey pranks, and the list can go on, but I must now sadly say goodbye. Thanks again to everyone.



## Liam Flannigan

To all my friends, you know who you are. I love you guys and I will remember all of the great things as far back as kindergarten for some. I hope that the world treats you well throughout your life. To the guys, many good times, from Outdoor Leadership, Whistler, Paintball, all the summers, and getting "Mangpeaced", just to name a few. To all the girls, you are all beautiful. Thank you for the many great times, the entertainment and the laughs, and all of the advice regarding women. I'll never forget any of it. Lauren- Thank you for sharing your life, your love and your family with me. I will always remember you. Mom and Dad, thank you for always being there to help me, and for giving me so many opportunities. They say life is what you make of it, so make it the best. Grad 2005.



## William Galt Talbot

As with most things, I've left this to the last minute, so here goes. Thanks to my parents for sending me (reluctantly) to SMUS. 4 years later I can reflect on all the good times I've had and all the wonderful people I've met. Loomer: friends since preschool, great times in Mexico. Mark: angels still riding on, tap that badge all the way to Poland. Snarr: my first new friend at SMU, make Langford proud. Lou: Chelsea ruined it for us, eh? To the teachers, thanks for putting up with me, can't have been easy. All of you that space prevented me from mentioning fill in your name here \_\_\_\_\_ and now you're not forgotten! (Well, yeah you are, but you felt special, right?) Good Luck to Grad 2005; I'll see you guys in a decade or so. ¡Viva La Revolución!



## James Santana

"World champion performance..."  
-Grad 2005



## Anna Gabor

Even though I have been in SMUS for just two years, I have experienced a lot of changes in just those two years. Being a student who lived at home in Saudi Arabia and now a boarding student in Canada, I had to adjust to more responsibilities, roommates, as well as many other things. Without anybody, I wouldn't have gotten anywhere fast. For all my friends from around the world: Saudi Arabia, Poland, Canada, South Korea, Germany, USA, etc. Thanks for all your support. You taught me things that my family haven't taught me. Mum and Dad: your constant belief in me is what brought me here in the first place. You taught me to never give up, and so far, I haven't. Mariusz i Janusz: I have always looked up to both of you. What more can a younger sister say about her brothers? All the best.



## Christopher Seminiano

I arrived at SMUS in grade 10 as a chatty kid with a carefree attitude. Lou, I've known you the longest and it's nice to know that someone else has ADD. I'd like to thank Mr. Tongue for keeping me at SMUS and my parents for all your support. Thanks to all my friends for making school bearable and to all the friends I never got around to making. I wish you all the best in whatever it is you do with your lives. My years at SMUS have been valuable but I can't say that I'm not glad to be leaving, as I depart SMUS, a chatty kid with a carefree attitude. I wish I can end with a Shakespeare quote but I'll offer this advice instead: "My Mama used to tell me if u can't find somethin to live for, you best find somethin to die for." Tupac Shakur



## Aliee Gong

3 years in SMUS has changed me a lot. Thanks to my parents & friends without you I won't be who I am now. Katie-thanks for the time that I spent in your room it's a great memory for me. Juyuan-thanks for the advice you gave me. Michy-you're the 1st person I no in SMUS & I will never forget you. MoMo & IRIS-enjoy the time we talked about Ghost in Gr11& the joyful laughs. Ellen-thanks for sharing problems with me. I'll support you. Karen-love to share secrets with you A PIECE OF CAKE! Minjung-thanks for being roommate for 2 years. Howard, Simon, Calvin, Clar, Roy Carson, KC-thanks for the helps and advices. To all the people that I didn't mention, good luck next year. So much bitter & sweet for the valuable 3 years at SMUS, but great memories



## Justin Gill

It seems like just yesterday we were sitting in Challoner throwing food and playing hide and seek in my house, and I can't believe it's now time to graduate. To my family/friends/teachers: thank you for your support that has helped me to survive the past 8 years at SMU. In this time, I have met some of the most amazing people I will probably ever meet. We've had great times, and I'll never forget The Face, Homeless, movie nights, Joan, Christmas, Army/Navy, hard luck, and more. Now, we have to venture out into the "real world", and the thought of parting ways with some of you is too hard for me. Whether or not I see you again after this year, know that each and every one of you has had a significant impact on me and I wish you all the best.



## Jason Gulyas

"Look Ma, No Hands!"  
-Grad 2005



## Kevin Ho

3 years of being installed at SMUS. Numerous things manufactured from a boarding life were some valuable experiences that I would never forget. Struggling through all the difficulties and challenges, there are some people who helped me to accomplish aims. Grade12 Harvey boyz., Nobu (Keep Trancing), Ken (Keep Crashing), Horse (Keep Running)and JunBai (Keep Challenging) keep the Harvey spirit in your mind. Also other people in Barnacle, James (Keep Burning Fats), Ting (Keep Dancing),Steve (Keep Working out), Sang (Keep putting Make-Up)you guyz are my true Tomodachi. Charlie(You are not B!), Lee kyu (You are not Fast!) and Jay (You are not handsome!). my forever ssi da ba ri have fun in SMUS next year. I'm now uninstalling.



## Jeremy Hanson-Finger

I'd like to thank everyone for molding the amorphous quivering blob of my grade 4 personality over the course of 9 years into the present Captain Jeremy: well-equipped for outdoor leadership, writing, assembly skits, movies, the yearbook room, and perhaps even reality - or at least surreality, which is nearly as impressive and a lot more fun - but still ill-equipped for reaching items from tall shelves. I wish everyone the best of luck in the future - I've met some great individuals. Don't let anyone steal your face right off of your head. "I hear a very gentle sound/ With your ear down to the ground/ We want the world and we want it.../ We want the world and we want it.../ Now./ Now?/ Now!/" "When the Music's Over" - The Doors



## Gillian Hayden

I don't think that I ever imagined life would turn out like this when I first came to SMUS. It's been a fun ride the past 3 years, and I hope it doesn't stop for anyone. I want to thank my friends who got me through the highs and the lows, the good times and the bad. Alex C thanks for being my albu cuz I couldn't have done it without you, you were the best cat a girl coulda asked for! Emery, I'll always know who to go to Japan with and who to call when in need of a man. Ellary, thanks for being my roomie and putting up with me. Kaitlin M, always be a party princess. Ele, keep on rockin cuz I expect you to be the next singing sensation! To everyone else you know who you are, school was fun, the weekends were the best! Stay young and don't grow up too fast.



## Fraser Hayes

I'm guessing that if you're reading this it's either because I paid you to, your friend's write up is right under mine, or you just flipped to a random page. Anyway, you might as well finish what you started. Wow. 7 years at SMUS and I'm speechless. Shouldn't I get half of one of the beer mugs the lifers get? SMUS taught me so much: 1: Recitations: Stick to drama unless you want to get shafted every year. 2: Student workload guidelines don't exist. 3: Oh yea, cycling's not a sport; it doesn't have a ball... My friends, you know who you are, thanks for the best years of my life. So as I pedal off into the sunset in my spandex, I ask you Class of '05, to shoot for the moon. Even if you miss, you'll land among the stars. Have a great life!



## Evan Hesketh

If my time at SMUS has been one thing, it has been a tremendous opportunity. As I look back over my eight years at the school, I am able to recall many instances where the school has proved to be a safe and effective environment for me to develop my skills and opinions, challenge existing ideas, and strive to do my best in everything I undertake. I leave knowing this school has provided an excellent starting point for me to achieve my hopes and dreams. Of course, none of this would have been possible without the love and support, both financial and emotional, of my wonderful parents. Thank you both for everything you have done for me - I hope I've made you proud. Lastly, I want to thank my wonderful friends - you have all enriched my life so much and I wish you all the best in the future.





## Ivy Ho

I waited for graduation for 3 years! Thanks SMUS. It is such a memorable experience; especially my Gangs always supporting each other. Andrea, considerate could be improved, don't get down in some kind of situations. Keep awake and we shall not stay in Murs too long. Karen, generous on money, remember our 26! Support you always! Vince, innocent, but your words sometimes shook me! Carson, very unique poet, I love your laughs! It's lovely to have you as my No. 1. Samson, my brother. Let me know whoever bullies you. I'll make him/her paid back. Sannifer, very talented, don't forget your Gangs! Get a life but not just studying. Vicky, very special from others, does not force yourself handling something you actually can't. TAKE CARE, YOU



## Sannifer Hoi

Two years of SMUS is so much fun. Ups and downs, laugh and tears; a lot to say but too little space. Ivy: No one annoys you as much as I do, so call me, after all I do believe in forever friendship. Andrea: Be nice! Karen: Have a great start in US. Vince/Gloria: Pretty girls, what's up? Jordana: Nice style. Vicky: Oh come on my friend, take care... Carson: I am gonna miss your laugh. Sam: Let's go sing k again. Arshia: I love the book *Queen of Camelot*. Meri: You are always my favorite genius. Mona: Hey roommate, I need your relationship advices; you are a pro. Laura: You crazy girl, when's our next party? Donata: I will always miss the fun in Germany. I still own a quarter of you AND remember the bridesmaid promise. To all: Love forever.



## Julie Hong

My last 3 years at SMUS were exciting and rewarding. I want to thank my family, friends and teachers who supported me. Mom and Dad: I love you so much and can't express in words how thankful I am to have parents like you. Thank you for giving me this incredible opportunity and the sacrifice you've made for me. Saranghaeyo Umma & Appa! To my Brother: I know you actually don't hate me that much. Thank you for all the jokes and chats. You are my best friend and I love you even though you hate to admit it. To all my friends: Thank you so much for laughing with me and making school bearable. I will never forget my experience at boarding and thank you everyone for making my last year that much more special. Congrats to all of Grad 2005.



## Fessica Hopkins

I never believed that these years would end. As I watch everyone finding their own path in life I am reminded of how grateful I am to have such amazing people in my life, people that have impacted me more than they will ever know. Mom and Dad, you have always put me first and I cannot put into words how much I love and respect you. And Heather, thanks for being there and never questioning why I was wearing sunglasses at night, and remember that it will never end. Our future is so reliant on our past, and who we are, and with that in mind I know that the class of 2005 will leave its mark on the world. As the best years of our lives come to a close, I challenge each and every one of you to make the years to come even better.



## Andrew Horton

My years at SMUS have been both fun and enlightening. When I came to SMUS I had never heard of cricket and had no idea what it was; but, thanks to Mr. Fisher's speech in 9th grade I found out what it is and I now love the game. I would like to thank all my friends for making life fun and wish them good luck in whatever they choose to do. I would like to thank all my teachers for all the help and support they have given me, especially Mrs. Skinner and to Mr. McLeod, thanks for making the out trips and the outdoor leadership program fun and possible. Everyone, good luck and have fun.





## David Houghton

Now it's over, or so you thought. I know that my memories from here will last with me forever. Les Mis was the best show I've seen at this school, thank you to everyone involved, especially those who were yelled at regularly. Anyone who was ever in the Yearbook room will remember the times that we played Stickball and Buck-Buck. Megan, Afra, Navraj, Nick, Jeremy, Justin, Evan, Andrew, Nader, Brendan, and Danny (Now is the Winter of Your Discontent!) I will never forget any of you. To everyone thank you for such a great graduation year at St. Michaels. "The roots of true achievement lie in the will to become the best that you can become." Harold Taylor. Hope the rest of your lives are filled with the greatest aspirations.



## Elizabeth Humphries

"All you have to decide is what to do with the time that is given to you." The wise words of Tolkien ring true for our grad class. It's been an incredible five years. SMUS has been an unreal place to go to school. "School days so they tell us are the most sublime in our lives" (from Goodbye Mr. Chips). I just had to quote a musical, but its true. To my wonderful and hilarious friends, I could write a book about each of you, so I'll just say that you know who you are and I love you all. Thanks to Mrs. Humer (who has been with me since day one), and to Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Skinner for always showing tremendous confidence in me. And finally, "I'm glad to be with you [Grad Class of 2005], here at the end of all things." (LotR)



## Kevin Hur

Life goes on but I won't forget the memories I had in SMUS. It will keep me charged for the rest of my life. Howard: Wish I can be your roommate next year, so I can nag about everything every night. PhysicsB: Won't ever be late again. PhysicsC: Legend of Mr. Kerr goes on...With Merry. AYA: What are two and three stands for? And please ask me that I'm ok. KarenC: You'll have my full support. Sang: See you in USA. Steve: No one can break the ideal wall, also not many people can think of these ideas. Saerom: Have problem? Talk to your councilor. Bonita: I am actually North Korean!! Derious: Vasili Zaitsev!! Forever. Carol: I'll name my next puppy Carol. Kev: See you next life. Monica: You know what I am going to say.



## Brendan Inglis

It was a dark and stormy night. September 24<sup>th</sup>, 1987, and deep in the hidden passages of an ancient cathedral something happened. In another place entirely Brendan Inglis suddenly and marvelously was. He previously was not, but, with the aid of a crew of doctors and nurses at Victoria General Hospital, he came into being. The fact that he was about 4 weeks early probably aided him in achieving his current state. He cavorted about, he then discovered SMUS. He casually joined up, thinking that he would only be there a year. He was wrong, so very terribly wrong. He spent the next 8 years of his life there and became a generally rather silly person. He joined up with Jeremy early on began to make movies and then progressively gained a posse throughout the years of Navraj, Evan, Nader, Justin, Danny, Nick, Dave, Megan, and Afra. The yearbook room may die, but it will live on in all of our hearts!



## Sara Jacobson

Wow what a year, it did not go by slow like I thought, it went very fast and I loved every minute of it. I don't have enough room to thank everyone I would like too so to make this shorter I will just say Katie I love you and stay beautiful and strong. Russia one day aitakaras! Allison be good and I love you! Tisah, Yay Art Class! Johnny take care ill miss you. Tasha, BagBoy. Enough said! Mookie! Stay out of the sun! To my parents thank you for giving me the chance to succeed! I love you guys! Mom you are my best friend I would never had made it through without all your advice! Grams thank you for always being there for me! To everyone else I look forward to seeing you in the future. Take care ya'll!



## Philip James

It has definitely been a memorable experience for me at SMUS, but I'll admit that it's about time to move on to the real world. Thanks to all my friends, my parents and my sister for always being there for me. I will always remember... all of the good times on soccer and rugby trips, the occasional awesome party, outdoor leadership and even just chillin' with the budskays in the quadpiece or in Rupe and Darius' room with Havoc and Shylock. Thanks to all those devoted teachers who managed to put up with me. To Kate: don't take your last years at SMUS for granted and most importantly, have fun. I'll conclude with a generic quote, "Take life as it comes and focus on what matters to you."



## Danny Jordan

As children we study the adventures of great heroes. We model our lives so that we may experience the marvels that they knew, but when time comes for our own journey, some new bend in the road sets us on a matchless epic. "It's a dangerous business, Frodo, going out your door. You step out onto the road...and if you don't keep your feet, there's no knowing where you might be swept off to." -J.R.R. Tolkien



## Sojung Jung

"An entirely new world of enjoyment"  
-Grad 2005



## Katia Kashitina

Congrats to grads of 2005, we finally did it! Thanks Jeannine (my dearest best friend), Bianca and Erica for becoming my great sisters, thanks for being in my life. I will love you forever, memories for life! SARA you rock my world girl, thanks, love you! Never forget fun late nights, partying till 2 am, Oak Bay always and forever, car camping, fun mix drinking! Girls' nights out...Betty and Shteve I love you, you rock! Greg thanks for being in my life; you will always have a place in my heart! Thanks to Yuri and Dom, love you guys. My family, thanks for the support and the experience you offered me for all those years. Angela and Paul thanks for everything, love you! Tasha and Emery, thanks for being a part of my roughy life, I love you gurls!



## Mai Kicksi

With a sigh of relief, I type these last few words...(yes, we all know that's not true, but whatever. Suspend your disbelief!) It's over! I must say I never thought I'd make it. These past few years have been the ultimate test of my endurance and now the end is nigh. Here's to my mom for being supportive and optimistic. Equal thanks to all my teachers for struggling through those hand-written assignments, and to Alissa, Chida and Steph (band? what band?) for putting up with me during exam weeks. All I can say now is that the sky is a lot closer than it was before. Only in our dreams are we free. The rest of the time we need wages.



## David Kim

After 5 years at SMUS, I'm thankful for the friends I made, and the wonderful opportunities the school has given me. Thanks Mr. Thierry for showing me the right way and being my 2<sup>nd</sup> dad, Pgardine for the inspiration and friendship. Looking back, I'll always remember Canada Games, Germany, 1<sup>st</sup> XV games with the lads, and the Red Sox win. Rich: Korean brother, always got your back. Jwong: locker buddies for life. Cav: thanks for the adventure. Vernon: you'll make NHL. Greg: Big man, small European car, good luck. To my girls Bon, Clam, Aya: thanks for being the best sisters. I'll never forget you girls. Thanks mom, for the prayers and love. Grads: "be proud and unbending in honest failure, but humble and gentle in success" - Gen. MacArthur.



## Hyun Ji Kim

"Dancing the night away..."  
-Grad 2005



## Sang Min Kim

"Experience complete and total happiness..."  
-Grad 2005



## Ellene Ko

My two years at SMUS have transformed what-first-thought-to-be huge campus into another home, a bit scary atmosphere into coziness, and new people into my life-long buddies. From the first time I stepped into this world, I have anticipated I would discover so many treasures of life. Looking back on the days of happy, sad, crazy, distraught, fun, pressured, and cool moments I shared with my friends, I have no doubt to say that I have gained what I look for. I want to give my biggest kiss and hug to my lovely friends, — without you guys, I would have been dead of homesickness already! Timmis house parents, and all the teachers who gave me the greatest support. Now I am moving on, with a big smile engraved in my heart.



## Melissa Ko

It has been a long journey. I have enjoyed being here and knowing all the people I have met since I started. Things have been rough at times, but we have managed to succeed and get through hardships. There are countless memories which I will never forget: 9:00 phone calls, adventures at Bamfield, outdoor trips, movie nights, random videos and pictures, sitting in the corner with chicken in Calculus, and the list goes on. There are a million things I could say right now, but there just isn't enough room. Shannen: thanks for helping me from the start until the end. Family: what a wonderful life I have with you all, thanks for supporting me. I love everybody on my list and thanks to all who have answered my 100s of questions. Good luck to you all!





## Steve Kwak

Congrats grad 2005. We finally get out of this wretched place. Thanks to ya'al. Alex lo Kevin Hur. Lets keep in touch. 7stars: ting, young-gyu, nobu, sang, j lin, charlie. keep yourselves out of trouble. saerom, my cuddly hamtori. i love you. jacass, it was a lot of fun. marie and baby fat. ahaha I will never see you guys again. jk. aya. ji-kang-aru? mr and mrs j thanks for all your care. barnacle bunch be nice to your house parents. and all you white kids I hung out with you all rock. charlie leach pete e. too bad we didn't make it till the end. you rehelz, keep your head up where ever you are. years flew by like seconds. nobody said life was wonderful but ill survive it. good luck ya'al.  
p.s. dave kim is so cool.



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## Bonita Lam

The 5 past years living in SMUS has been the most rewarding experience. I've met people from all around the world and by sharing close living quarters with them have definitely shaped me to becoming a more broad-minded, receptive individual. To all my friends out there: The fond moments we had together shall forever etch in my memories and I am sure when I look back at them I shall shed a tear or two. (ABCE forever! Thanks for everything and you guys are surely one of a kind.) Regardless of the places we are going to be next year, keep in touch! (Webcams everyone!) To my sis, my soul confidant: I will not have made this far without you. Thanks for bearing with me all these years. Next year will be different and I'm going to miss you like mad. To my parents: Thank you for all the endless support and the opportunities. This was by far the best choice I've made. Good luck and best wishes to all the Grads 2005!



## Carol Lam

I never thought these five years would go by so fast. These years as a boarder in Timmis have been the most dramatic and amazing episode in my life. Thanks to all those who have made my senior years so exciting and memorable, and those who have made my time here something to look back. Thanks to my parents for their unconditional love and support. Not also to forget to express my gratitude to all the wonderful teachers here in SMUS. I would never have made it this far without you all. Congratulations Grad 2005 and Best of luck to the years ahead!



## David Lang

Thank you Mum, Dad, Uncle Weng and Aunt Sandra for bringing me here and presenting me with opportunities I never would've had back in Singapore. Mini, thanks for being the best roommate and friend I could imagine (minus the Mum jokes). Geoff and Walker, forever will I be cursed with your horrendous images and golfing antics. Frances, Mei Qi, Arshia, and Donata; my lady friends who have never failed to advise me on my lady woes. Zoë, thank you for the good times, it's been unimaginable. Massive pride for Harvey: the house that never really sleeps and always smells like kimchi. To the teachers who have helped me on my way: my utmost gratitude. I'm sure you're glad I'm gone. Maybe it's time I move on.



## Louis Lay

Well the time has finally come to do my grad write up and I have no idea what to say. I arrived in Grade 5 looking for the chance to make friends...You know who you are...I would like to take this time to say "WHAT IS UP?" First of all thanks to Chris and Jay for getting me through the last years at SMU. Jay, remember be responsible and cover your eyebrows...maybe you'll hit the rim next time Chris, known you since we were ten, from races in the lecture theatre, to Nudge wars til 1 in the morning due to my ADD and your ADHD because you always last longer- see ya in UBC next year. Thank you to Allison for giving me something to laugh at during history classes...remember "The French were communist and their main goal was to take over the world"- two thumbs up!





## Michelle Lee

"And a hot plate, it's perfect for soup!"  
-Grad 2005



## Jonathan Lee

"Wherever I go, my new capri really sends me!"  
-Grad 2005



## Julie Lee

5 years of hard work. 5 years of joy and sorrow. 5 years of growing up. I will always look back with a smile. Thanks everyone for making me felt welcomed. My teachers: thanks for making learning enjoyable. All my friends: thanks for making my last year of high school the best year. Take care and may all the wonderful memories share among us. Roy: love and together forever. Monica: thanks for being like a big sister to me. Ellen: you and James can be together forever. Michelle: get a boyfriend in university. Alice: you and him can be together. Simon: our last year as classmates, but thanks for always helping me. Calvin: thanks for all the physics helps, and we all love you. Congratulation to all the grads of 2005, see you all in the future.



## Giovanna Licata

It's been a long and stressful four years at SMUS, but it has been great. Amidst the late nights and weekends spent devouring my books, there have been a million laughs and memories. SMUS has not only provided me with an outstanding education, but also with a fabulous community. To all those who have never stopped believing in me, thank you so much. To my family, in particular my mom, you are wonderful. I am extremely lucky. To my friends, you know who you are; you are the best! Thanks for all the good times. Never take the smiles off your faces. Keep in touch!!!! And a special thanks to Mrs. Skinner and the rest of my teachers; I will never forget you. To the grad class of 2005, best of luck and take care.



## Calvin Lin

Five years of SMUS life went by so fast and I want to thank a few special people: the Cooks, the Forbes, Ms. Stanford, Mrs. K-J, Mrs. "MAD" Humer for their generous support, and all other teachers who step into my life. Simon: ready for ski-trip next February?! Monica, Michelle, Ellen, JuYuan: take care, no more 38 acts ok? Howard: five years old-friend eh? Don't forget the yelling at Brown Hall. James, Alex, Kevin, and Julie: best wishes to you all. Justin: take a chill pill, grandpa. Aya: make sure you buy my CD one day ok? Clar: remember, lao gong forever! Iris: all I have to say to you is on my grad photo; take good care of yourself. Grad 2005: have fun in college and enjoy life. Hope I'll be able to see you ALL again later on in life!



## Ellen Lin

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## Monica Lin

"Only the best"  
-Grad 2005



## Foni Lind

"If you want a rainbow you have to put up with the rain." Thank you to all of my family, friends and teachers who have put up with me throughout the years. Clarke, thanks for being the one who could always make me smile. Carly, I'll always be in your corner. Mom, your love has taken me to where I am and will take me where I want to go. Dad, I am who I am because of you. To all of my friends, you know who you are, you're a great gang. Thanks for the laughs and the memories. I will never forget my years at SMUS. Good Luck!



## Paulina Lipska

Grads 2005-have fun and good luck! To my wonderful friends- you guys are all fabulous, thanks so much for always being there. Chicken for a wonderful roommate- "I'm a big, big girl, in a big, big world". Keep your stick on the ice y'all. All the girls- "save a horse, ride a cowboy"! To my teachers- thanks for your support. Mrs. Skinner thanks for caring. Everyone from Winslow and Barnacle- keep up all the fun! To my marvelous parents- thanks for everything. I would have never gotten this far without you. I love you. Caroline- keep it up kiddo, you are the best. Lots of love.



## Ala Lo

Late Night Chats-Magic Beans-Baby Carrots-YoungYoung-Weird Convo's-Violent Couples-Weird Osaka Accent-Math12 Retakers-Slack Off Competition-Pancakes-Buha Tea-Dunking on Short Rim-Death by Nails and Teeth-Whiteout or Tippex-Disgusting Fridge-Friends Season 8-Grad Foto Retakers-Last in Calc Class-Second to The Last in Calc Class-Jinlun-Cubical-Balloons-Candles-Grad Writeups....

This might just be the best year ever XD.

Arigatz. Wouldn't be the same without you you and yooooo.



## Daide Loggia

"Just as fast because they're REAL hot wheels"

-Grad 2005



## Michael Loomer

Twelve years of SMUS over! To all the teachers: thank you for every little thing you stuffed into the void in my head. To my friends: I had the most amazing time with all of you.

Bazzet: You win. Snarr: Langford pride mate. Whitey: Whitey and Mikes big book, oh yeah.

Kurt: Thanks for showing me Castle Grey Skull. Comrade: Good day comrade, Russian efficiency and something is on fire. Will: all the good times and the bad. Torreón will live forever and so will the "shot." Jeremy: All the biking mishaps. To my parents, thank you so much for giving me all these wonderful opportunities. I love you. Kate: I'll miss you and have fun with the rest. Thanks and good luck to everyone. Cheers.



## Richard Ma

Finally, graduation! Damn, 4 years were fast. I will miss the smell of "fresh" turkey in Brown Hall, kimchi in Harvey, and weird odors in Challoner. Thank you, mom, dad, Albert, and Ryan for everything that you've done for me. Thank you for everything Mr. Cook, Mr. Anderson, Mrs. Murphy, Mr. Humphries, Mr. Fisher, Miss Roth, Mr. Kerr, Mrs. Rajotte, and Mrs. Thumm. I will miss my roommates: Michael Yang, Peter, and Walker. Best wishes to my graduating friends HaKyu, Nobu, Junbye, Ken To, J.Wong, and Kimmy. But most of all, I will miss you MinJung, who has guided me through my SMUS life (who knows? You might be next me right at this moment!?). To bros YoungIk, Huijai, Hyunjae, SunHyung, thanks! WonJae, LeeKyu, and MyungHwan I'll visit sometime.



## Christopher MacCarthy

Like all of my fellow classmates it is impossible to sum up all the good times and experiences I have had in my past years of high school in a short paragraph. Because of this I am only writing generic and cheesy lines so that others may look back on them with tears. My time here at St. Michael's has been a privilege which I rarely take for granted. I want to thank all my boys who have been the equivalent of brothers to me from the very beginning, they all meet up to the true definition of friends. I like to think that I will see all the same faces after this year, and it is sad to realize that we will in fact all be moving come next September. It hasn't hit me yet that most of these people I will never see again, but hopefully we will all cross paths with each other at some point in the future. Good luck Grads.





## Allison Maeri

To all my girls at school: Sara- I love you so much and how we went to school so much, so is Alaska part of the U.S.? Elle- You keep me going can't wait to see you on Broadway I love you and you have everything you need to make it. Katia- My russian beast you kept me laughing now don't go thorning around on me! Tisah- you're my twin I'll miss you so much I had so much fun with you. Tashy- thank you for the support you are too smart and pretty to not go anywhere in life! To my boys: Tapping- Your an awesome guy and prom will be great I'll miss you! Tomson- The only one I could truly trust here you got me through everything I'll miss 9:00 at Camosun! To all my Nanaimo friends: Simon, kenisha, brandee, shauna, hayley, parveen, lina, kurre. To my mom, you are my pillar of strength you made me who I am today you're my best friend I love you so much.



## Brian Martin

Over six years of my life have been at this school and its been filled with its ups and downs, twists and turns, but the last years have been the best. Whether it's studying in the library or just sitting back in the sun. Many people say that SMUS is a hard school and filled with people with themselves only in mind. I am one of those people, but after you have been through it and finished you know you can get through anything. To all my friends, no need saying names, it's been great fun being around you guys and partying. To the rest of the grads, good luck with next year and the rest of your lives.



## Kaitlin Martin

"When life gives you lemons you take those lemons and clone them and make SUPER LEMONS!" Well I think that's just about what all of us have done. It's been 4 grueling years, but this is where the lasting friendships were made. If we can make it through SMUS, we can make it through anything. Gibbersom: you hippo, thank you for making these the most unforgettable/unpredictable years of my life! Ellary: you kept me on my toes, world travelers we were indeed! Afra: you made this year bearable, don't know what I would have done without you. Finally, my nugget: you're the one who made this all worth it. I love you. To the rest of the crew - thanks so much for everything. You guys were amazing. **TO THE GRADS OF 2005 - GOOD LUCK!**



## Justin McElroy

Justin McElroy came to SMUS in 2000 innocent, carefree, full of energy, and with the nickname Sparky. Along the way, he became obsessed with saving bears, got a cell phone, managed too many sports teams and musicals, and thought he could become Prime Minister. He now leaves SMUS in 2005 sarcastic, constantly cranky, full of Coke, and with the nickname Jmac. Along the way he met many friends: They went with him to Mr. Tongue's office, they were lampooned in songs, they made movies with him, and they turned a room in Challoner into "a den of lechery". He would like to thank every teacher who let him miss class, every student who said yes when he asked them to do something for him, and everyone at SMUS for making his time there memorable. Grimace indeed.



## Lachlan McLeod

Hey everybody, congrats on the graduation. I want to thank my main girl in L.A., Katie Mose, for supporting me through a lot of grade 12. I also want to give a shout out to Da Aristokrats and the UN for all that fun we had recording in my room to start Lachlignity Split Records. I had a lot of fun with my home boys Chris G, Jason G, Matt, Louis, Conrad and Darius. I had tons of fun in boarding with my buddies Meyash, Hugo, Werner, Janey, Jessica and Max. I want to thank my family for making me go to this school in the first place. My biggest thanks must be to money for always being there for me. Harvey House was an awesome place to grow up in with Mr. Yan, Mr. Anderson, and Mr. Cook making sure I'm growing up right.





## Nobu Miyoshi

Lifetime at SMUS: Priceless. Being here for three years, there is just too much to write, but I just want to say thank you to everyone. Boarding life was something that I had never experienced before, living with a roommate, Brown Hall, late night eating, chat till 4 am, and our meeting at 12 O'clock. All of these, I can never forget. Simon, Kevin, Ken, Steve, Sang, James, Charlie: You guys are my true brothers. Thank you, all of you saved my life. To my dear Harvey boys: Rules are made to be \*\*\*\*\* be smart. Tomson and Jay: More you struggle, stronger you become. Aya: my big sis, thanks for everything. Marie: Forget about the past, we are cool now alright!? At last, thanks to my parents for giving me such an opportunity. Goodbye SMUS!



## Artie Mammison-Smith

"A friend is someone who allows you complete freedom to be yourself" - Jim Morrison.  
THANKS GIRLS: Jess, Jacquie, Amy, Sophie, Guille! - LOVE YOUTYCHO - You Know I Love you Best Kid. Risa and Tom - Thanks for never underestimating my potential! Cheers to everything that made it worth my while: Galiano, Ottawa, Uruguay, Kat, James, Michelle, Moxi, Diego, Olive, Cezo, Domi, Ellie, Joni, Tisah, Susan, Family Guy, The Captain, all the ridiculously good-looking people, soccer, planet and all my girls. - Just Giver- "You think you're too cool for school, but I've got a newsflash for you... You aren't" - Zoolander



## Evan Morgan

My SMUS education has gone too quickly for my liking. I loved every minute and I would do it all over again in a heartbeat if I could. These last few years will be ever present in my memories as an important part of my life. SMUS gave me so many opportunities that would not have been present at any other school. Many thanks go out to my family, especially my parents for their support, to my friends new and old for sticking with me and to my teachers whom I deeply appreciate for making my courses fun and interesting. Finally to the Grad Class of 2005 I wish all of you, the best of luck achieving your dreams.



## Patsy Morley

The past 3 yrs went by so fast. Looking to the future, I can't help but reminisce about the past and the many people that made my time here so wonderful. Thanks to my friends for such good times. So many laughs. I can't believe that I haven't known you all my life and know that I'll never ever forget you. Themed parties, dancing, movies, lovely closeup pictures, downtown, Mr. Flashlight & The Party (oh Lauren), and much more. Thanks to my teachers who supported me immensely, opening my eyes to new things and pushing me to be all that I can be. Thanks above all to my mum and dad for more than I can even begin to spell out. "Moons and Junes and ferris wheels, the dizzy dancing way that you feel, as every fairy tale comes real." Joni Mitchell



## Emmy Mora

Life at SMUS has allowed for many opportunities which have helped to shape who I am. I want to thank all my friends for the good times. Gill- random sushi nights and Tokyo days fill my memory! It's been fun, and remember "itsu mo sake ga yowai!" Natasha- High school was an accumulation of phone calls, obsessions and overly priced designer bags. The memories we share are priceless, and no matter where we go, we'll always be friends. Katia- Spasibo za vse. Mi vseгда ostanemsia horosheimi druziami. Ya tebia lublu. Martin- Danke, dass du immer da warst als ich dich gebraucht habe. Ich werde mich fuer immer an unsere gemeinsame zeit erinnern. Ich liebe dich. To my parents, thank-you for everything. I couldn't have made it without your love and support.



## Erin Neubauer

So, the four years of high school comes to an end. High School has been good and bad, full of good times, bad times, lots of work, and moments I will never forget. Even though this was my first year at SMUS it feels much longer. It has been a really fun year, and I've enjoyed getting to know great people, and making lifelong friends. It is pretty scary coming to a new school in 12th grade, not knowing anyone, but I'm so glad I came, and even though its nerve racking at first, it has been such a good year. To all my friends- you are all the best friends anyone could ask for, we will keep in touch, and come to AK! Mom and Dad- thank you for teaching me so much, and always being there, and for handling me these past years of being a "teenager." I love you so much! To all the GRADS- best of luck with wherever your life may lead you in the future, and let the good times roll!



## Clarence Ng

3 years of SMU and boarding life have changed my life. Thanks to my family, friends and teachers who helped me at different stages of my life. Thanks to my best friends: Roy, Howard, Alice, Carson, Nick & Karen. Roy: We've been through so much together, brothers forever. Karen: Look ahead! So much stuff is waiting for you. Carson: My media centre. Alice: Don't be so mean to me. Nick: go for a girl and stop playing with computers. It is nice to play badminton with Winnie and Sharon. Also, go for a relationship. Jay, I feel sorry to you about my alarm clock. Tomson: Try to make yourself happier. Also, please continue the Harvey spirit. Aya: hungry friend forever. BC, ka tse forever. Mini, Simon, KC zai, Gloria, Oscar & Tim: Nice to know you all.



## Gregory Nicholson

Congratulations everyone, we made it through. I was dragged into the school back in grade six, as the years progressed I've had some awesome times. And although I may not have grown to love it I have grown to respect it. Thank you to all of you who helped me along the way. Mom, Dad, Grant and Tom, you were always there, especially during the tough days. Grad 05 it was a long and winding road, lets get out there. I hope a part of all of you stays forever young, and just remember that if it doesn't work out, there's always plan B—just keep Givin'er.



## Marie Monaka

Countless brownhall meals, foyer talks, late night movies, running through the sprinklers, downtown...they're all priceless, but it's over. To those who have stuck by me, I send out my love: Yui, my baby girl.;Anti B gata forever; Mika, let us eat and drink, for tomorrow we diet. St. Maur OSers, "as our lives change...we will still be Friends Forever" Nat, remember? You're my other half. Alex, magic beans, baby carrots, uahh... those good old days. Ricky, my confessions box. Ton, you're dolly is all grown up. Tsubie, holla to the 416: love you. Steve, el huevo. Kento, Fez & Jackie and green hats. Tomson, NEMO. Kenny, migi: that's where I am. Takaya. Chris. Chiaki. Sang. Charlie. Aya. Nobu. Horace. Mio. Mibi. 'Everything' would mean 'nothing' to me without you all.



## Robert Orr

I'm thinking back on the past thirteen years of my life, and wondering what it would be without the friends I've gotten the chance to know and the important life lessons I've learned along the way. I can't appreciate enough all of those who have been mentors to me through these years. Thanks to all of my friends who have given me support, laughter, and confidence; the good times we've shared will never be forgotten. To the lifers: we've come a long way from the big K, and we won't lose touch just yet. And finally, how could I end without thanking my family: you have taught me so much about who I am; your care and guidance means so much to me. Congratulations to the class of 2005.

"Wherever you go, go with all your heart."-Confucius



## *Kurt Penna*

My time at SMUS has been filled with many memories and many life lessons. Thank you to all that have contributed in my education, both academic and social. To the business go-ers I hope you enjoyed them as much as I did. Mole, I wish we could publish those comics and I'm so coming to Poland and I'll bring Mike with me. To Brown and Jeremy, may you be successful and happy. I look forward to making "paradise" a reality. Jase, I'll never forget the beaches of Greece or the taste of Mythos. And Willie, thanks for the theme song. To the grads, may the best of your past be the worst of your future.



## *James Reid*

To memories, clear and hazy. To friends, made, kept, and lost. To time wasted learning and socializing. To the places we're going, or not going. And to the fun we've had. To tell you the truth, I can't wait to be out of here, but I won't leave without some good memories. Teachers and mentors, thanks for the lessons. All my friends, you know who you are, thanks for the great times. I am sure we will meet again. I hope you all find happiness, wherever life takes you. I won't forget you guys. Family, thanks for constant support, love, and good meals. The most valuable lesson I have learned at SMUS is to plan for the future, but to live in the present. So, I hope that you all think about what lies ahead, but don't forget to have some fun.



## *Mark Rozanski*

Well it has finally ended and all of us are bound to parts unknown on our separate paths. I came to SMUS in grade eight and have enjoyed my time here learning and having fun. A big thanks goes out to all my teachers that had to put up with me and my antics. I hope that the damage is reversible. Andrew, thanks for being a great buddy, see you in Chicago sometime. Will, oh my, all times were good times. Snarr, good luck in life and be sure to get out of Langford! Comrade Loomer, the fun is just starting for us; I will see you in the Med world. Kurt, my friend, we will keep in touch. Highlights of the year were new friends, Outdoor Leadership, and Grad in general. Finally, to the Grad class of 2005, I wish you luck in your future!



## *Dominik Rozwadowski*

Always give and never be afraid of the unknown. Live on the edge and treasure the adrenaline blitz that lets you know you ain't dead. Sir Tongue, thank you for leading such an amazing faculty, your devotion and fairness is the backbone of SMU. To my mullet, thanks for always watching my back, literally. The Family, I can't thank you enough for your altruistic wisdom and tolerance. "Our lives are not determined by what happens to us, but by how we react to what happens; not by what life brings to us, but by the attitude we bring to life. A positive attitude causes a chain reaction of positive thoughts, events, and outcomes. It is a catalyst...a spark that creates extraordinary results."



## *Megan Sandover-Sly*

I have been at St. Michaels for 6 years of my life. I never realized how long it's really been, here between the brick walls; I feel it has been way too long, but I have met a lot of good kids and we have had fun: playing in mud, making movies, going bowling, summer pool parties, going on walks to Hillside and movie fests at Justin's. Do you remember the pickle? The dance parties? Getting bubble tea every weekend? Shout out to oak bay bus crew, boarding fiends, crazy eights, my brother and my lovable various friends. Thanks to mommy and daddy for paying the crazy tuition and always being supportive. Mr. Smith I want my sweater back. Lots of love to all of those who want it.





## Andrew Sharp

I have seen SMU through the good the bad and the ugly. Buildings have been demolished, new ones erected and renovations made. I'm not sure which has changed more, the school or me. But I will never forget all the memories and good times I've had at the school. As much as I may have complained, I wish this would never end...minus the learning part. To everyone I've met: never forget me. To all of my friends: remember all the good times we have had. To those few special people: I will never forget any of the moments we spent together. And if you forget me, then I guess I haven't been loud enough. Remember; don't do anything worse than I have. Thank you to all my friends and family. "Grow old along with me the best is yet to be" - Robert Browning



## Megan Sharpe

It's hard to believe that I've been at SMUS for 7 years and that it's time to graduate! I've had a great time and met so many amazing friends. Thanks to my parents for sending me to school and always being supportive. Thanks to all my friends for making my time here fun and memorable. I had so much fun on all of our adventures to Hillside, Café Mexico, Justin's house, the park and tennis courts, pool parties, cinnamon buns, and baking cookies, and of course Tofino! Good luck in everything you do! I love you all!!!



## Ayako Shirayama

Thanks to all the teachers and friends. Bonita: Don't worry. We look Beautiful as usual. Carol: We'll be Auntie in 10 years. "ABC forever." Ellene: I'll be showing off my skills at the Sa-dang station someday. Varinda: Don't forget our favorite fruit. Nobuo: You're the best listener. Zutto tomodachi yade! Simon: Pongy dance needed. Sang: My King and pashiri forever! Charlie: A-ang! Calvin: I'll drive you around in Japan! Kevin: What does to stand for?! Chang: Where is my Tiffany?! James: Don't hurt your ankle again. Alex: ALo! You are right! Steve: Don't forget. You are a Korean puppy. Myung: Don't worry. Be Happy! Timmis and Bolton: Thanks a lot to House parents! I'll come back to visit my pink room someday. Timmis is what?! "RED HOT!" I Love You All.



## Victor Short

"This is the end, Beautiful friend / This is the end, My only friend, the end / Of our elaborate plans, the end / Of everything that stands, the end / No safety or surprise, the end / I'll never look into your eyes...again" - Jim Morrison.  
I'll be seeing all of you again some time or another in this life or the next.



## Ellie Shortt

It's hard to believe that my days as a SMUS student are finally drawing to an end. These past thirteen years would not have been so enjoyable if it weren't for the love, support and wisdom of my family, friends and teachers. I appreciate everything you have done for me. You mean more to me than you could ever know. As a lifer, I have had the great opportunity to witness my class evolve from 18 scared kindergarteners to 150 amazing human beings. To my fellow members of the graduating class of 2005; I admire and respect every one of you, and I wish only the best of luck and success in your future. Most importantly, I hope you take advantage of all that life has to offer you and enjoy every moment of it. Don't take life too seriously, never stop smiling and always remember to have fun.





## Walker Smith

Guys its been awesome! I came from a harsh situation and being here saved me in more than a few ways. I would like to say: Micah thanks for the rescue Kyra thanks for the support Mom Dad G&G and G&G thanks for believing in me. Also: Mr.Cook Mr.Anderson Dr.Forbes Yan-man Ms. Roth Thumm Sensei Mr.Franklin Thanks for watching out for me. CPU thanks for letting me hang out. Roomates: Onye, Dun, Richard, Brothers for life (Mini and Dave too of course.) All of the awesome boarding friends too many to name you know I'll see you all again I'll just show up on your doorstep. Day students I didn't see much of you guys until the end but we had good times. I'd like to end this with something stunningly deep and intellectual but that just wouldn't be my style.



## Brandon Snare

It's hard to believe that it's been 5 years since I got here; it feels like so much less. But regardless of how much time it's been or feels like, it's been an awesome ride. Mike, out of our gang of misfits I've known you the longest, and we're still great friends. Alex, you've put up with a lot sitting beside me in hand all these years. Mark, I never thought I'd meet some one with an equally twisted sense of humour as myself. And Kurt, I'm sure you're already aware, but just because we're out of school doesn't mean we can't have anymore Halofests. Mom and Dad, you were right when you said I'd thank you one day for sending me to SMU, thank you. To the faculty, the world is a dark and scary place, but you've given us one hell of a flood lamp.



## John Tapping

High school would never have been the same without the UK tour in 2003, being a true icebreaker and stealing all the awesome Irish potential. All the rugby we've played since then has been unreal, and no one can forget winning the boot. Rep rugby was prime in the summers with you Anj, and Rupert you're a good challenge to play against. I can't forget to mention the Crazy Fighting Irish Man, Liam your awesome. Provincials are a time to remember with boys like Vernon and the big stud Weir. All you boys I can't name have always been there to support me; I owe so much to everybody. Rugby parties have been a rush but the time has truly come to move to the next level of play. Time to pass the pride and glory of the 1<sup>st</sup> XV to those who follow so that you can have your turn in holding the Boot high in the air and proclaiming yourselves victors of the night and of the many to follow.



## Simon Ting

Life in SMUS in the last 4 years was a miracle for me. Grade 9 was my first year in SMUS and the only year I actually tried to study hard. Momo, Michelle, Howard, and I were the Si Jian Ke at the time, and we had fun together for 99.99% of our free time. In grade 10, life was wonderful everyday, especially hanging out with the SEVEN STARS, Calvin Lin, and Aya. To be honest, I have to say "GREAT THANKS" to both Calvin and James because they totally changed my life! Grade 11 was my worst year. However, 12<sup>th</sup> grade was full of joy. Bon! I will remember the time we first met plus the time we spent together. I'm sure those will be my forever memory. All my dear friends, I'll remember you forever no matter where you are in the future. Good luck!



## Xiao

SMUS changed my life forever. Coming back for grad was the best choice. Harvey Boyz - rules are made to be broken, and to those who cant be mention, good luck in the up coming years and have a great time. Thank you Mr. Anderson, Mr. Cook and Mr. Yan for making Harvey feel like home. Dr. Forbes, I cannot thank you enough for your help and support, I will never forget you. This has been a life experience of a lifetime. Good luck to class of 05 and future generations.



## Alexa Treleaven

"Believe it or not, you've got waterproof whiskers too!"  
-Grad 2005



## Howard Tseng

SMUS, a place that I treat as my 2<sup>nd</sup> home. As I think back and compare what I used to be like before entering smus and now, I found it amazing that how much I had come through and changed. In the past 5 years, I have met many wonderful people, and most of them have altered my life in bits. Calv: thanks for the scolding back in grade 8! Simon: remember our fever night in Kyoto! Sharon: my number 1 and the only 1! Surrey: an always-cheerful girl! Clar: langzai! Karen: best wish! Carol & Bon: the ones I've known for the longest! Kevin: be the next Chow Sing Chi! Mariko: Take care! KevH: ask me to lend you a pen in a major business conference! And there are many more of you who I'm unable to write; but, just remember to KEEP IN TOUCH! Love!



## Tisah Tucknott

Thirteen years at SMUS could not have gone by quicker. The time I spent here, which I thought would last forever, has simply slipped away. Now as I am pushed into a bigger, unknown world, I reflect on the memories I've shared with so many incredible people. From chill times in T-dot to late nights in Cuba, running from Joe, the two-different-sized-pupil-man, I've had a blast. Although I've learned some things the hard way, it's been worth it. To the lifers: bean bags and care-bears...what happened to James D? To my Family/teachers: thanks for the constant support and guidance through all these years. Finally to the Grad Class of '05: "What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us." XOX



## John Vernon

It's not easy to break down all my years at SMUS into a few lines but I'll give it a try. I never wanted to come to SMUS in the first place because I was leaving my best friend, but over the years I've grown to love it. To all my friends: you don't know how important you are to me. I'm not going to name any names, but to my best friends you know who you are. Now to my family: you have always been there to help, and always offered love and support, I can't express how much you mean to me. To Kerry, thank you for giving me something to look forward to during the week, and for always putting me in a good mood. I love you. I have had some of the best times of my life with my friends and I will never forget them, the trio...I love you. Holla.



## Donata von Schack

This school provided me not only with a population twice the size of my hometown but also with a bunch of the most fun, smart, crazy and interesting people I have ever met. To all of you, who understand this because you know my weird thinking: I will miss the inspiring talks, long nights, candle-light on the field, margarita and Garlic Cheese, long hours at various coffee places and restaurants over town, chocolate covered coffee beans, movies, fire sprinklers and emergency breaks. I haven't been here for long, but you guys became my family. Most of the time we lived in the real world, sometimes we didn't make halt from any levels of insanity. Carpe Diem!...and just for the record: none of this ever happened.



## Julie Wang

"Makes you think, as you listen!"  
-Grad 2005



## Julie Wang

OoOo, My turn to write this? Lets go: Iris, banana never = umbrella, You silly GIRL will always be my best friend, wherever you go, take My best wishes with you. Michelle: you're the sweetest girl I have ever met, you deserve the best love. Alice: believe in yourself, you are the best, love your name. Ellen, have fun with kangaroo. What else can I say? Monica, room always so neat, scares me. Joyce, I will never skip PE. Carson, most talent lit boy. Kevin, Jon, Sipon: need a teeth check. To all people in SMUS, life isn't the same without you. To my family: Justin my kid. Mike: you're the guy with all my love; being with you is the most important thing in my life. I am a much happier girl because of you; we still have another 100 years together. I love you. love you.



## Andrew Weir

Someone once told me that you get out of life what you put into it. Well I've given SMUS my all, and in return, I have made great friends and managed to graduate. So much has transpired over the years and every day, I learn something new but some things never change. Trev - Is always fun and ready for an adventure. El- Always new. Jamie- is The Party Animal. Peter, Andrew, Dan, Felix, and Oz - Border buds. Kait & Charlie- Too much fun. Kit- Hilarious. Dom- Oldest friend. Cavin- Always up. Vernon- funny 24/7. Victor- A Brit. Susan - Beautiful. Joni - a character. Without the road trips, councils, K.K. Gram, Poncho Quatro, parties, ladies, Whistler, Mexico, Shawnigan, family, and friends I don't know how I could have survived high school. Family, I am eternity grateful. Lizzy keep up the Weir traditions, 3<sup>rd</sup> times a charm.



## Jan Wellens

"Yes Mother, it firms those tender gums!"  
-Grad 2005



## Alvin Wen

I have really grown up a lot during the two years in SMUS, both pleasant and embarrassing experience will be the most precious memory in my high school life. Although I often complained about the Brown Hall food and School Internet, I know on the last day I will be one of the most reluctant people to leave. Hope all my dear fellas in Barnacle have a wonderful life and relax a bit while I am not around. Great thanks to all my teachers and houseparents, I'll come back and visit our school again after I graduate, hopefully.





## Alexander White

Well, I guess anything is better than one of those stupid generic write-ups, so I may as well say something. The past four years of my life have been great, great times with friends, Snarr, the only kid from Langford that I know, and hopefully the only one I will ever meet. Mike, the worlds best left-handed vegetarian (keep the big book alive.) Kurt, god those were some good businesses, Davide, nice car (not). James, criticize this. Evan, can't sit still for five minutes. On a final note: Congratulations to the Graduating Class of 2005.



## Fanel Willms

It seems like just the other day I was looking up at the "big" grade 12's and wondering what it felt like to be so old. Now I'm "old", it's scary and exciting. I am going to miss SMUS, all the laughter, tears, and hard work that were apart of my time here. I would have liked to mention everyone who has influenced my life along the way but I can't do that, so, for the lifers, the twelve of you have been my friends for as long as I can remember and thinking of school without you is a big new idea for me. To those friends that came since then, I love you as much, just with less history. To those that left us somewhere along the way, I miss you, but none of you are forgotten. Congratulations grads, we did it!



## Martine Willoze

"A lovely voice, accented by a striking personality"  
-Grad 2005



## Yara Willoze

Mammchen an Pappchen villmols merci fir alles wat dir fir eis gemaacht huet. Daty, denk Ventimiglia an Dolce Aqua! Anya and Catherina, thanks for everything and good luck next year.



## Jason Wong

BIG thanks to my teachers, coaches, friends and FAMILY, you guys made my 5 years at SMUS much easier. Rma: friends since gr.8, glad u came back for the last two yrs and keep working on your left hand. Dave: locker buddies, Stay close, but not too close! Lam Twins: known u two since gr. 8, always good to have some1 who speaks the same language! We never really hung out, wish we were closer. See you guys in HK! Ken: glad you came back for gr.12 and stayed back, try to stay awake in classes. Aya: driving is fun eh? I was kind of scared too. Greg: give me a call when you decide to get the giant party sub! Char: Long weekend stays. Kurt: your food is delicious. Cavin, Daris, Rupe: Could not have asked for better teammates. ISA CHAMPS! Grads: GOOD LUCK and STAY IN TOUCH





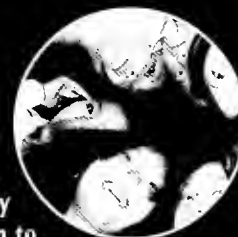
## Joyce Wong

Something tells me that no matter how hard I try not to be clichéd, I will not succeed. Coming to SMUS has been one of the best experiences of my life, embracing each emotion that I faced, overcoming obstacles, becoming independent, meeting friends that I will never forget, learning valuable lessons. My parents, my pillar of support and understanding: I would not be the little eighteen-year-old that I am without you guys and to my friends: for all the good times, delivery foods, movies, shopping, bubble tea. There's not much left to say except I've done all I can in my short time here and it's about time I moved on.



## Vanida Wongkulnapatt

4 years at SMUS hasn't been any less amazing than any occurrences in my life. Here, I cry on the first and the last day; so many things I've learnt through soft and hard road, and many hands save me from day to day. Thanks Mom-Dad for landing me here; family support has been the best gift I'll ever ask for. Mrs.-J: you are more than home and mom to me. Tweedies: your support is wonderful. Monica: the 'letter' is always true-My heart will always be with you. Ellen: Best roommate ever. Aya: I'll miss the 5 years of everything between us. Mitch: I'll miss you. RolBon: my best twins friends. Carson: the honest friend I'll never find again. Kurt: you always make me smile. Thanks EVERYONE who has touched my life. I love you. Cheers to Grad'05!



## Jun Bae Yoo

My final year of high school has come and gone rapidly and alas, it's time for me to move on. Before I go, I would like to thank everyone for a memorable time at SMUS. First of all, Mom and Dad: thanks for the endless support and encouragement. Harvey guys: it's been great living with all of you, good luck in your future endeavors. My roomies Ken To and Lachlan: I know I wasn't the cleanest person, but luckily, you guys weren't either. The Horse: sorry about my timetable, I didn't mean to have the same schedule as Minjung. Fagy: go give a ride to my bro. W: Arbutus manse! I-kyu: keep your hopes up till you graduate. Kev Hur, SSang, Steve, Charlie etc. I'll miss you guys. Teachers, houseparents, coaches, friends, and not-so-friends, I hope we'll meet again, wherever and whenever it may be.



## Jason Zapantis

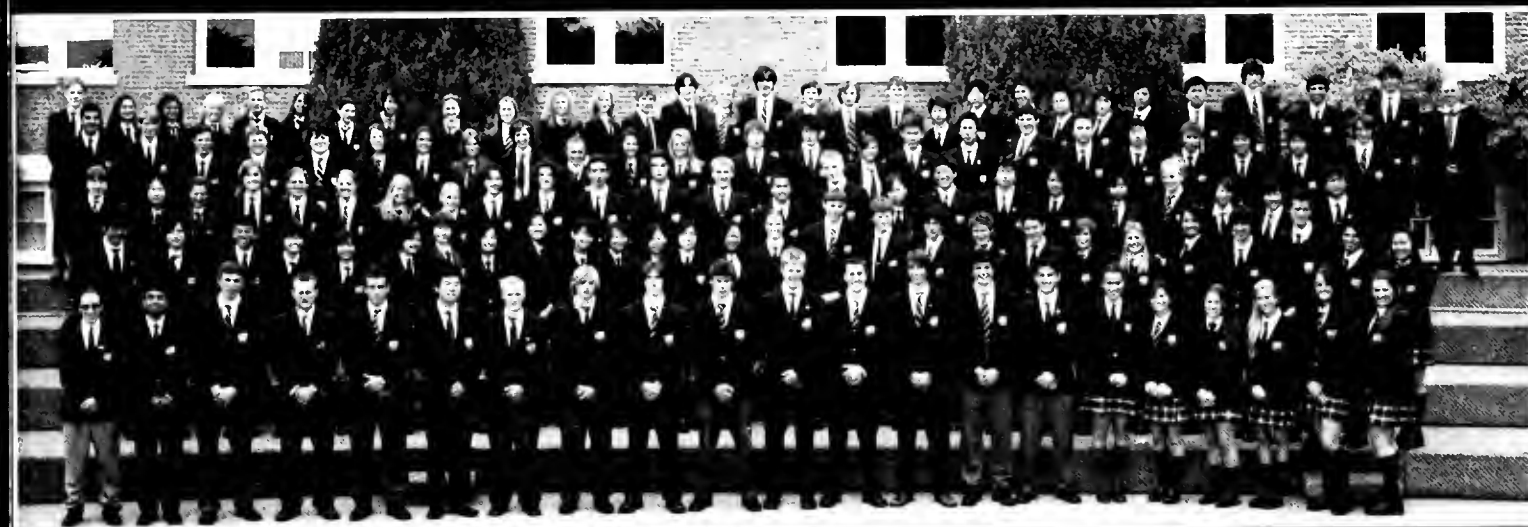
Well I thought it would never end, but finally it's over. Thinking about it now I don't want to leave and I wish I had made more of my time here. First of all I have to mention Senior Boy's soccer (well more specifically the trips). Kamloops was a pretty interesting night pretty sure that will NEVER happen again. Kurt, Greece was a lot of fun. I wonder if CW or Dave remember us? Tasha LOTR and Drama Class. Alex hope you like the Senior School; have fun and make the most of it. And finally, Thanks Mom and Dad for pushing me that hard. I guess it did finally pay off.



Good Luck,  
Grad 2005

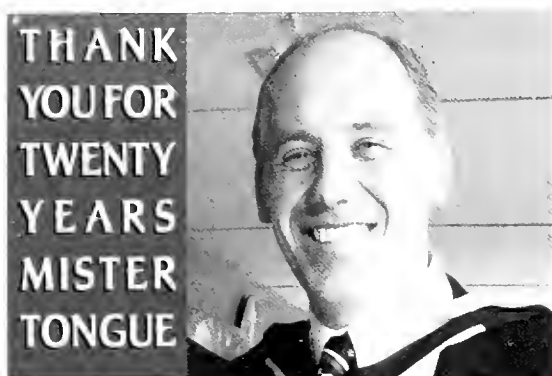


# LAST DAY OF HIGH SCHOOL!



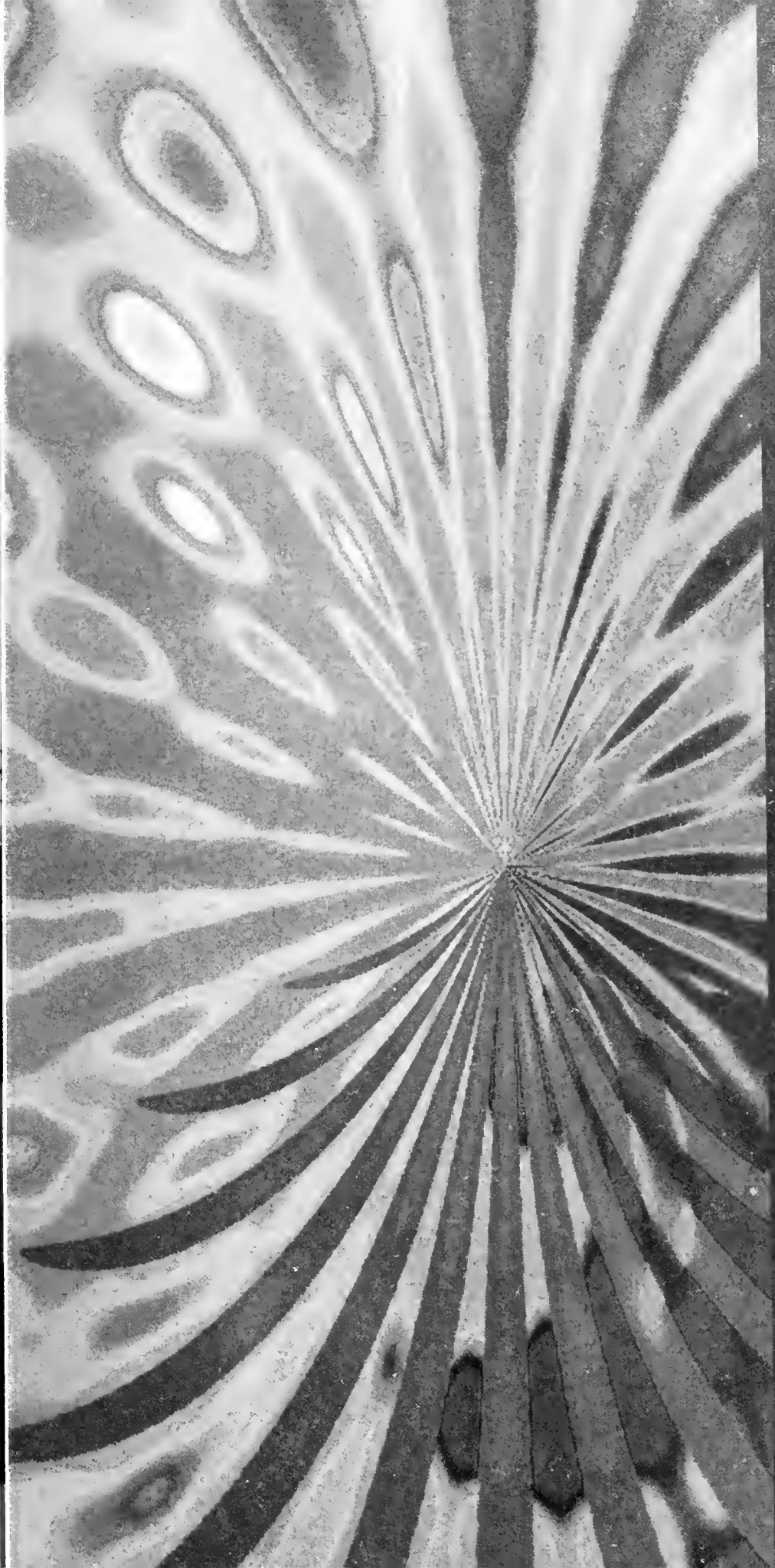
Saying good-bye to Peter Tongue is so full of warmth, good wishes, and the knowledge that he has been such a good friend to us all that in fact his absence will be felt more as a continuing presence. When Peter told me in April that it was time for him to move on, to pursue some spiritual goals that had grown increasingly important to him, it wasn't shocking, but it was not particularly welcome, from the school's own point of view. Over the past two decades Peter has been a loved and respected Chemistry teacher, House Parent, Rugby coach, leader in Chapel, and Director of Senior School. These are his formal roles. Informally he has been a guide, a leader, and a friend. His balance and judgement have always been shaped by his deep desire always to do what is best for the students; that student-centred approach has focused all his decisions, and strengthened them. Teachers, parents and students have seen Peter in dozens of different venues around the school, and he will be missed from the sports field, the classroom, the Chapel, the corridors and the halls of the school. He has given St. Michaels University School so much of himself, and we all wish him the very best in his future path.

-Robert Snowden (Headmaster)





# Awards





# Colours

NADER AHMED: Band  
 MARK BAZETT: Band  
 MARISA BROOK: Strings  
 ANDREW CAVIN: Rugby, Soccer  
 ROY CHAN: General - Badminton, Cricket  
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 ELLARY COHEN: Volleyball  
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 GAVIN DUFFUS: Rowing  
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 JEREMY HANSON-FINGER: Service  
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 FRASER HAYES: Cycling  
 EVAN HESKETH: Debating, Strings  
 SANNIFER HOI: Chamber Choir

JULIE HONG: Band  
 DAVID HOUGHTON: Musicals  
 ELIZABETH HUMPHRIES: Choir, Musicals, Vocal Jazz  
 BRENDAN INGLIS: Service  
 PHIL JAMES: General - Rugby, Soccer  
 DANNY JORDAN: Musicals  
 MERI KIESKI: Rowing

DAVID KIM: Chamber Choir  
 MELISSA KO: Badminton  
 LOUIS LAY: Swimming  
 CALVIN LIN: Choir  
 JONI LIND: General - Field Hockey, Soccer  
 MICHAEL LOOMER: General - Tennis, Cricket  
 RICHARD MA: General - Basketball, Rugby  
 CHRIS MACCARTHY: General - Soccer, Rugby  
 KAITLIN MARTIN: Volleyball  
 JUSTIN MCELROY: Debating, Musicals  
 CLARENCE NG: Badminton  
 ROBERT ORR: Band, Cross Country, Musicals, Rowing, Vocal Jazz  
 KURT PENNER: General - Basketball, Soccer  
 DOMINIK ROZWADOWSKI: Soccer  
 ANDREW SHARP: Strings  
 MEGAN SHARPE: Badminton  
 ELLIE SHORTT: Field Hockey, Musicals, Strings, Vocal Jazz  
 JOHN TAPPING: Rugby  
 HOWARD TSENG: Badminton  
 TISAH TUCKNOTT: Music, Vocal Jazz  
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 DONATA VON SCHACK: Music  
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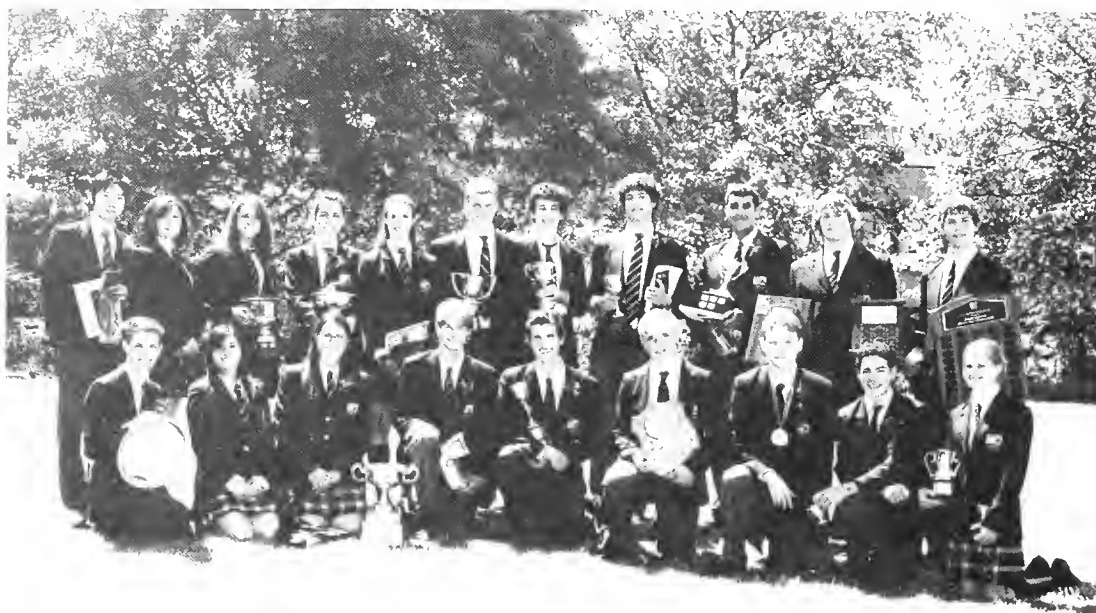
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HYUN JI KIM  
YARA WILLOX

NATALIA ESLING  
JEREMY HANSON-FINGER  
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# Grade 9-11



McLoughlin History Book Award - KWANG PITHAYACHARIYAKUL

The Commander R. Dyson Cup (Outstanding effort and attitude in Grade IX) - KATHRYN WIZINSKY

The Chapman Cup (Best all-rounder in Grade IX) - JOSHUA EVANS

The Considine Cup (Most Improved Grade X) - GEORGE DUTHIE

Student Council Award (Outstanding attitude and effort in Grade X) - ALEXANDER REID

Life Award (An outstanding student in grade XI who has made an all-round contribution) - DAVID HEFFERNAN

Parent's Association Drama Award (Top actor and actress in Grade XI) - DAVID HEFFERNAN and TAYLOR MCKINNON

Alumni Association Scholarship for Merit (A Grade XI student returning next year who has demonstrated leadership and made an all-round contribution) - BRIN PORTER

# Grade 12

Alumni Award (To the student with the highest average in school) - NAVRAJ CHIMA

FISA and B.C. Science Council Award (Outstanding science achievement) - EVAN HESKETH  
ALEKSANDROV

Yearbook Editor's Trophy - NAVRAJ CHIMA, JEREMY HANSON-FINGER, and  
BRENDAN INGLIS

Nesta Bowen Horne Plaque for Art - TISAH TUCKNOTT

Blencoe Cup for Music - ELIZABETH HUMPHRIES and EVAN HESKETH (shared)

Llewelyn Bullock-Webster Cup for Drama - DANNY JORDAN

## Headmaster Awards:

NADER AHMED  
EVAN HESKETH  
EMERY MOSES

NATALIA ESLING  
JESSICA HOPKINS  
ELLIE SHORTT

JEREMY HANSON-FINGER  
ELIZABETH HUMPHRIES  
HOWARD TSENG

Carol Lobb Award (A boy and girl athlete who demonstrate excellence in athletics, do well academically, and contribute to the school community while a student at SMUS)  
- FRASER HAYES and SUSAN DAVIS

Brian Dyer Award (For community service within the school) - NAVRAJ CHIMA

Darlene McCue Award (For building bridges between diverse groups in the community)  
- VARINDA WONGKULNAPARIT

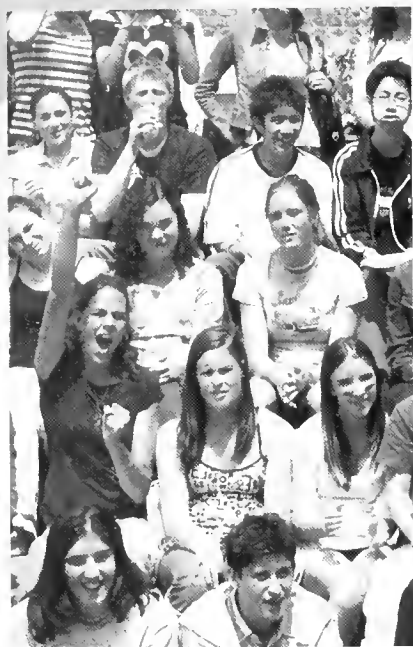
Groos Salver Award (For outside community service) - JUSTIN MCELROY

Nation Bowl for Citizenship (A student you might like as your next door neighbour) - TISAH TUCKNOTT

Ker Cup (Premier award for scholarship, leadership, character, and outstanding all-round involvement) - ROBERT ORR



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